

## LET THE THIEVES BEWARE!

KANSAS CITY IS TO HAVE AT LEAST 40, POSSIBLY 75, MORE POLICEMEN.

The Board to Meet Monday and Appoint the New Men—Three Will Be Chosen for Their Ability to Ride a Motor Cycle.

Kansas City is to have better police protection. The board of police commissioners is to meet next Monday and appoint at least forty patrolmen. If a way can be devised to avoid paying the salaries of the police policemen out of the fund at the disposal of the police commissioners, there may be seventy-five patrolmen added to the force within a few months.

"The department really needs seventy-five more patrolmen to bring it to a standard of efficiency such as ought to be maintained in Kansas City," said Elliott H. Jones, a member of the board, this morning. "The thing that handicaps us is lack of funds. The council was good to us this year in the appropriation and if the park board will just take care of its own men, we'll have money enough to provide a fine police force."

ON THE FORCE NOW, 235 MEN.

"The yearly payroll of the police amounts to something over \$9,000. Those policemen are commissioned by our board, but beyond that we have absolutely nothing to do with them. They receive their instructions from the park board and maintain their own discipline and regulations."

There are now 235 patrolmen, including probationary men, in the police department. In addition there are forty-eight ranking officers, including sergeants, lieutenants and captains, and seventeen detectives.

"The department needs more patrolmen," Daniel Ahern, chief, said today. "In the summer time there is a lot of petty thieving, and really, it can't be stopped without increasing the number of patrolmen. There is a constant demand—and necessity—for policemen at the amusement parks and the ball park. This takes nearly twenty patrolmen every day. Not since I have been chief have I been able to keep a reserve force of policemen at headquarters."

TOO FAT TO RIDE THE "POPPERS." "Kansas City is the only city of its size in the United States where there is no reserve force kept at headquarters. There are nine precincts, where the forces work in two shifts, making necessary eighteen complete working forces. Forty new men divided among these eighteen forces would not overburden any precinct with blue-coats."

Of the new men to be appointed it is likely that three will be picked for their ability to ride a motor cycle. The board bought three machines at the meeting yesterday and the next thing is to get some riders. The regular "poppers" are not doing a great deal of alacrity in applying for the situations. As a matter of fact, most of them are too fat, Mr. Jones said. Policemen must weigh not less than 160 pounds before they can qualify for appointment. Mr. Jones has several applications for these posts from men who say they are expert motor cycle riders.

## A BREAK FROM TWO-CENT FARES

Railroads Are Granting Reduced Rates for Merchants' Meetings.

Eastern railroads have granted a special rate of one fare and a half for merchants' fall meetings in Chicago and St. Louis, and H. G. Wilson, commissioner of the Kansas transportation bureau, has taken up the question with Western roads to get the same concession for Kansas City. A meeting of the officials of Western roads is being held in Chicago to-day and Mr. Wilson has been given assurances that Kansas City will be given the same rates as are given other markets.

The action by the railroads is another stage in the collapse of their plans to hold all rates to a basis of 2 cents a mile. The rates granted by the Eastern roads are the same as for a score or more of the larger conventions this summer and the same given by Western roads for the national political convention and the Shriners' meeting at St. Paul.

"The railroad men have argued that rates of 2 cents a mile are practically as low as those formerly given for merchants' meetings," Mr. Wilson said this morning. "This is true, but there must be a special inducement to make the merchants come to the city. If he can save by coming at a certain time he will do so, but if there is no reason for coming at any particular time, he will keep putting it off until he doesn't come at all."

## THE WIND ROBBED A WINDOW.

About \$250 Worth of Dinner Pails Sent on a Scoot in Armourdale.

When the employees at the stock yards and packing houses went to their work early this morning they found dinner pails strewn along Kansas avenue in Armourdale for several blocks. The strong wind that preceded the heavy rain had wrecked the plate glass front of M. Fishman's hardware store at Third street and Kansas avenue. In the window the dinner pails had been stacked in pyramids. After the storm, however, not a dinner pail was left. The loss was about \$350.

## A WRITER OF STORIES A SUICIDE

Mary Hulton Believed She Had a Right to End It All.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Mrs. Mary Hulton, formerly of London, once a frequent contributor to English and American magazines, committed suicide at her home here early today by asphyxiation. She was 53 years old. One of her recent statements was that "life is something we have the privilege of ending when we choose. When I believe it is time to die, I shall end it all."

## A GIFT FOR WILLIAM JEWELL.

The Missouri School Gets \$125,000 From the General Education Board.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Gifts to educational institutions aggregating more than \$4 of a million dollars were announced by the general education board to-day. The largest single gift of the board was \$125,000 granted to William Jewell college, Liberty, Mo., and the next in size one of \$100,000 made to Davidson college, Davidson, N. C.

## E. W. Wakeley's Condition Critical.

OMAHA, May 28.—The condition of E. W. Wakeley, general passenger agent of the Burlington, operated on last Saturday for appendicitis, is very critical. A second operation was performed to-day, but there is little hope held out by the physicians for ultimate recovery.

Missouri Savings Bank wants choice real estate loans. No delay. \$20 Walnut street—Adv.

## SOME FAIR WEATHER COMING.

But There May Be Another Shower Here To-Night.

7 a. m. . . . . 62 11 a. m. . . . . 70  
8 a. m. . . . . 62 12 m. . . . . 72  
9 a. m. . . . . 64 1 p. m. . . . . 71  
10 a. m. . . . . 67 2 p. m. . . . . 70

Generally fair weather is predicted for to-night and to-morrow with moderate temperatures except possibly a shower to-night. In other sections of Missouri a rainy and cooler night is expected.

## BACK IN SEVENTH PLACE.

The Blues Again Shoved Down by the Minn.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 28.—Minneapolis made it two out of three by defeating the Kansas City team in the last game of the series this afternoon by a score of 4 to 2. Graham was sent to the rubber to repeat his Tuesday's victory and he did it, although it took his team mates ten innings to hit over enough runs to land the game. Minneapolis again goes into sixth place and the Blues back to seventh. Graham was a mystery to the Blues most of the way and was found for only five hits. "Old Hoss" Kison twirled good ball for Kansas City, but the Minn. finally got to him for the long end of the combat. The score by innings:

KANSAS CITY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Minneapolis	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	8	2

American League Results.  
WASHINGTON, May 28.— R. H. E.  
Washington . . . . . 3 8 0  
Cleveland . . . . . 2 5 2

National League Results.  
PITTSBURGH, May 28.— R. H. E.  
Pittsburgh . . . . . 5 6 0  
Boston . . . . . 3 5 0

## Racing Results at Belmont.

First race, 3-year-olds and upward, seven furlongs—Big Chief, 111 (Muggrave), 11 to 20; Bedouin, 124 (McCarthy), 7 to 2, second; Monopolist, 111 (Shreve), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 4/5.

Second race, 2-year-olds, selling, four and one-half furlongs, straight—Arionette, 109 (J. Lee), 4 to 1, won; Tom Reid, 97 (Flynn), 20 to 1, second; Intervene, 99 (Garner), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 3/4.

Third race, 3-year-olds and upward, mile and one-eighth—Celt, 109 (Notter), 8 to 5, won; Jack Akin, 128 (E. Dugan), 9 to 1, second; Dorante, 109 (Lee), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:52. Only three starters.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and upward, mile and one-eighth—Celt, 109 (Notter), 8 to 5, won; Jack Akin, 128 (E. Dugan), 9 to 1, second; Dorante, 109 (Lee), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:52. Only three starters.

Fifth race, handicap, 3-year-old and up, one mile and a sixteenth—Juggler, 123 (McDaniel), 11 to 5, won; Master Relief, 112 (Gilbert), 2 to 1, second; Berkeley, 124 (Garner), 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:40. Colonel Jack and Killie Crankie also ran.

## A MOTOR SCORCHER FINED \$10.

A Policeman Said Louis Harris Was Going Forty Miles an Hour.

"He was driving his car about forty miles an hour past the Humboldt school," this was the charge Michael Mullane, a patrolman, made against Louis Harris of 1112 Locust street, a chauffeur, in police court this morning. Harris said it was his first offense. He was fined \$10.

## THE AIRSHIP WAS TOO FRAIL.

An Investigation to Show the Cause of the California Accident.

OAKLAND, CAL., May 28.—An investigation into the cause of the collapse of John A. Morrill's airship last Saturday which resulted in the injury of sixteen men, shows that the trouble was due to delay in releasing the forward anchor ropes. This caused the airship to tilt its nose toward the ground, and sent the great mass of 400,000 cubic feet of gas rushing into the stern. The strain was too great for the flimsy oiled cloth. It burst with a loud report, and the balloon began emptying itself instantly through a huge rip, which quickly extended all around the rear section of the cylinder. The flimsiness of the bag was, of course, the real cause of the mishap.

## Haddock Superstition.

From the London Globe.

The haddock has a superstition attached to it. On each side on the shoulders, near the gills, it has a dark spot, faded to be the impression made by the finger and thumb of St. Peter when he took up and found the penny in its mouth to pay tribute to Caesar with.

## ON A NITRO-GLYCERIN HUNT

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Two Detectives Accompanied Frank Hart to a Cache Near the Hannibal Bridge.

The Officers Were Nervous, but the Robber Wasn't.

Four men were walking north on the Hannibal bridge shortly before noon this morning. Three of them were walking abreast, while the other was following closely behind. The middle man of the three was smoking a cigarette and chatting briskly about the weather. The others were watching him closely. The man in the middle was a prisoner and a dangerous one. The two men at his side were detectives, the man behind a spectator.

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HE FOUND IT QUICKLY.

"And say," he added, nonchalantly, "I got a quart of nitro hid there, too."

It was to find this explosive that the expedition across the bridge was made this morning. When the party had crossed to the end of the wagon approach Hart stopped and looked about. Then he walked over to a stake that had been driven in the ground and began to kick the loose dirt.

"Here, stop that!" and Ralph Truman, one of the detectives, grasped the man by the shoulders. "I'll do the digging."

Slowly the detective began removing the soil with one hand. In a moment he pulled out a large whisky bottle filled with a reddish brown liquid. Holding the bottle between two fingers and at arm's length Truman turned to the others.

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The safeblower smiled as he watched the performance. "Give it to me," he said. "I'll fix it."

"No, you won't," replied Truman. Another detective grasped the prisoner by the shoulder. They remembered when he tried to throw the bomb at the time of his capture.

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The officers finally agreed to let Hart open the bottle and pour the liquid out on the ground. After this operation had been performed the detectives and spectator gave sighs of relief. As the procession started back across the bridge again on the way to the police station Hart was whistling the refrain of:

"Ain't that a shame?"

## A WOMAN FAINTS ON THE STREET

An Injury Received by Mrs. Fifield, 72, When Her Head Struck the Sidewalk.

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BALTIMORE, Md., May 28.—The Rev. George A. Cooke's appeal against the ruling of Bishop Moore in the matter of Dr. Cooke's charges against Chancellor J. R. Day of Syracuse university, whom Mr.

HOUSTON, Kas., May 28.—A severe windstorm swept over Houston last night, destroying several small buildings and breaking trees. A large barn belonging to John Lutz was blown down and two horses killed. The storm was followed by nearly two inches of rain. This section is soaked. Since May 18.9 inches of rain has fallen and nearly every farmer will have to replant corn.

## THE MILITIA BILL SIGNED.

An Appropriation of 2 Million Dollars to Arm the National Guard.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The President signed the bill yesterday providing for the reorganization of the militia of the United States and its arming and equipment at a cost not to exceed 2 million dollars and gave the pen he used for the purpose to General J. A. Drain, chairman of the executive committee of the National Guard association, who was active in the movement to secure the legislation. Assistant Secretary Oliver of the War department, who has been specially charged with the execution of the provisions of the law, said to-day that one of the first steps to be taken will be the appointment of a board composed of five representative officers of the organized militia to consult with the Secretary of War, regarding the condition and needs of that branch of the military establishment.

## DANGER FROM JAY CHAUFFEURS.

At Least They Should Know the Rules of the Road.

To The Star: Is there no protection to the public from jay chauffeurs. Last evening returning home on Troost avenue, near the cemetery, I met two heavy transfer wagons and turned to the right as is required by the laws of Missouri, and was met on the same side by an automobile going at a forty-mile gait which turned to the left instead of to the right as they are required. I narrowly escaped being run down, as also did a lady and little girl who were driving just behind me.

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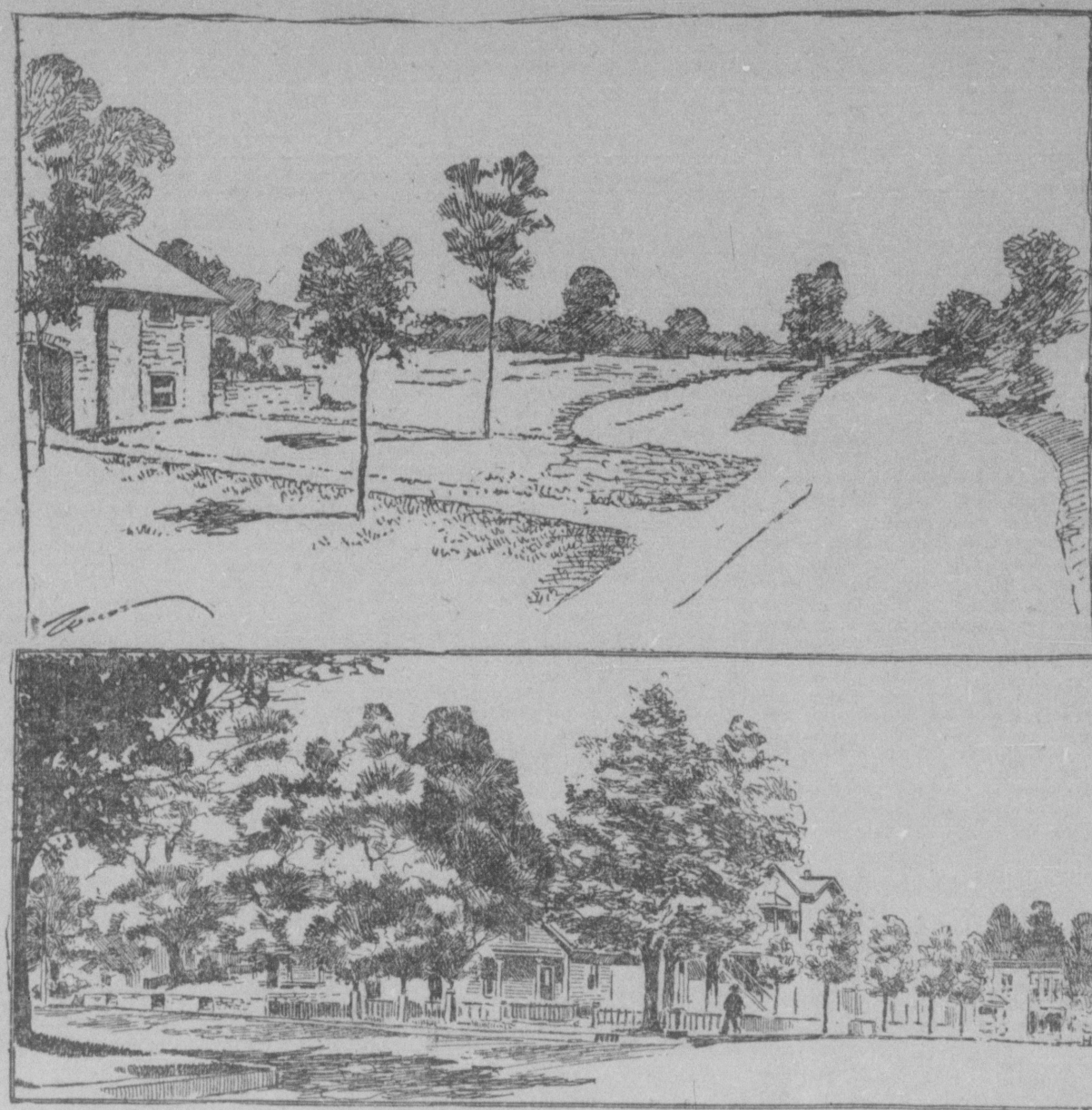
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## THE PLAYGROUND SITES CHOSEN BY THE PARK BOARD.



THE TOP PICTURE SHOWS THE SITE SELECTED ON ROBERT GILLHAM ROAD FROM THIRTY-NINTH TO FORTY-SECOND STREETS. IT WILL NOT BE USED THIS SUMMER AS THE TEMPORARY SPEEDWAY EXTENDS THROUGH IT, AS SHOWN TO THE LEFT OF THE BOULEVARD. THE PERMANENT SPEEDWAY IS TO BE IN THE BRUSH CREEK VALLEY EAST OF THE PASO. PLANS FOR THE NORTH END SITE POINT TO ITS USE BY THE CHILDREN THIS SUMMER. IT IS BETWEEN TROOST, FOREST, MISSOURI AND PACIFIC AVENUES. AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH THE NORTH END SITE PROBABLY WILL PASS THE COUNCIL MONDAY NIGHT.

## MORE TORNADOES IN KANSAS

ONE MAN WAS KILLED IN A STORM NEAR BELCHIT.

A Twister Also Passed Between Morganville and Clifton, but Did Only Property Damage—A Hard Blow at Clay Center.

BELOIT, Kas., May 28.—A tornado passed ten miles north of Beloit at 10 o'clock last night. One man was killed and eleven persons were injured. Buildings were blown to pieces. The storm was 150 yards in width.

CLAY CENTER, Kas., May 28.—Last night, just a week later almost to a minute than the windstorm of last week, a second storm passed over this county doing much damage in the way of blowing down trees and tearing down small buildings. A storm which is said to have been a tornado passed between Morganville and Clifton, in the northern part of the county, blowing down a number of houses, but not dangerously injuring anyone. A second storm in the same vicinity a few hours later also did some damage.

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## FIRST CALL OF THE HARVEST.

Ellinwood, Kas., Writes for 550 Men to Cut the Wheat June 15.

A letter received this morning at the state free employment bureau from Ellinwood, Kas., says that 550 men will be needed in that vicinity to harvest the wheat. The work will begin about June 15. The men will be furnished by the bureau here.

## WRIGHT TO SUCCEED TAFT?

The Ex-Ambassador to Japan Refuses to Confirm a Washington Rumor.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The fact that information is refused by responsible persons in regard to the accuracy of the published statement that General Luke E. Wright of Tennessee has been selected to succeed Secretary Taft upon the retirement of the latter from the War department goes far toward confirming the belief that there may be, and probably is, foundation for the story.

General Wright is no longer accounted a Democrat by the Tennessee representatives in the Senate and House, and, in fact, they assert that President Roosevelt has found his strongest supporter in his Philippine policies in General Wright.

The latter was in Washington about two weeks since and lunched with the President, when it is presumed, the possibility of his selection was broached to him, and it is only fair to assume that the hesitancy of the officials here in making any statement in regard to the matter may be based upon the fact that General Wright has not yet himself decided what disposition to make of the offer.

MEMPHIS, TENN., May 28.—General Luke E. Wright of this city, whose name has been suggested for the appointment of Secretary of War to succeed Secretary Taft in the event of the latter's resignation from the cabinet, said to an Associated Press representative to-day that he had no information on the subject whatever and that it was highly improbable that his name would be considered for a position of which he knew nothing absolutely.

Luke E. Wright was a member of a widely known Tennessee Democratic family, his father having been chief justice of the state supreme court. Wright was himself a leader in the party issues of the state, once attorney general and generally known as one of the lights of the "gold" Democrats in his state. The Spanish-American war and subsequent events made a change in Wright's view of things and subsequently forced him out of the party. When the "silver" wing, under Bryan, became the paramount element Wright and his friends of the "gold standard" were more or less ostracized from party councils.

Three sons of the Tennessee man were soldiers in the Spanish war, and the father was shortly afterward chosen a member of the Philippines commission. When Secretary Taft was called home to a position in the cabinet, Wright succeeded him as civil governor of the islands and was subsequently given the title of governor general. It was while serving in this office in the campaign of 1904 that the final breach with the Democratic party came. Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate, was making all sorts of wild allegations about conditions in the islands and Wright broke from his party to deny Parker's statements in an interview and letter.

Since that time Democrats have come to look upon the Tennessee man as a member of the opposing party.

## BLOW UP WATER SUPPLY LINE.

A 1 Million Dollar Aqueduct in New Mexico Is Wrecked.

EL PASO, TEX., May 28.—Dynamite users wrecked the big pipe line that conveys water from Bonita mountains, N. M., to Carrizozo, N. M., yesterday, where all the engines of the El Paso & Southern railway system are supplied. This pipe line, which diverts the entire water supply of the Bonita river, cost about 1 million dollars.

"Cora Shocks" the greatest 1908 instrumental success. Whistled, hummed and played everywhere. Thousands of copies sold in a few weeks. At Jenkins' Sons this week, 10c per copy.—Adv.

## HE BEGAN THE CIVIL WAR

THE SHOT AT FORT SUMTER ORDERED BY GENERAL S. D. LEE.

His Efforts to Entertain His Old Enemies Were the Direct Cause of the Death of the U. C. V. Commander.

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 28.—General Stephen D. Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, is dead as a result of overexertion in entertaining the men against whom he fought fifty-five years ago. When the G. A. R. members from Iowa and Wisconsin met here last Thursday, General Lee took an active part in their reception. A severe attack of acute indigestion followed and caused his death this morning after a week of suffering.

An incident in connection with General Stephen D. Lee's military career not generally known is the fact that he directed the firing of the first shot of the Civil War. He was one of the two officers of the South Carolina troop sent by General Beauregard to demand the surrender of Fort Sumter and upon the refusal of this demand he ordered the nearest battery to fire on the fort.

At the outbreak of the Civil War General Lee resigned his commission in the United States army and entered the Confederacy. He served with the Confederate army in Virginia until after the battle of Antietam, when he was made a brigadier general and sent to Vicksburg.

General Lee played an active part in the siege of Vicksburg and, following the fall of that city, was taken prisoner. He was later exchanged and promoted to the rank of major general and ordered to the Southwest.

He was subsequently assigned to the Army of the Tennessee, with the rank of lieutenant general, and served until the close of hostilities. At the close of the war General Lee devoted himself to the education of Southern youths as president

of the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical college.

On the death of General John B. Gordon, General Lee was unanimously chosen commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans and was always the most conspicuous figure at the annual reunions. Just



provides that the people shall vote upon all franchise questions.

The politicians know that commission government eliminates their political "pull" and makes merit and capability the basis for awarding public patronage.

Commission government requires of its public servants a good and sufficient bond and places the responsibility for neglect of duty upon specific individuals, and for any such neglect the bonded official must pay the freight instead of the taxpayers, as under the present system.

It is up to the voters of Kansas City, Kas., to say whether or not their city shall have a government that will attract the home-seeker, or if they will retain the government that is attractive merely to the office-seeker.

#### THE DES MOINES EXPERTS HERE.

Kansas City, Kas., to hear of the Commission Plan's Success in Iowa.

A busy programme has been arranged for John MacVicar and Wesley Ash, the two commissioners from Des Moines, who arrived today to tell the people of Kansas City, Kas., how the commission plan works.

Des Moines elected its first commissioners under the new plan two months ago. A record for efficiency has already been made. There is no red tape in obtaining permission to have streets graded, sewers put in and paving done. Useless office-holders, such as inspectors who never inspected, have been "fired," and men who work have been put in their places. The streets are clean now all the time instead of only after heavy rains.

Mr. MacVicar is a municipal expert. He is at the present time secretary of the League of American Municipalities. Mr. Ash is a member of the coal miners' union.

#### Packing Employees Hear of the Plan.

Meetings of the Commission Plan party were held at noon today in the packing plants of Kansas City, Kas. Talks have been made every noon this week in these plants. Much interest is being manifested by the employees. The crowds are increasing daily. The meetings are to be continued every noon until the day of election, June 2.

#### GOSSIP OF SOCIETY.

Miss Josephine Bird will entertain with a tea the afternoon of Thursday, June 4, in honor of Miss Dorothy Worrall of New York city and Miss Christine Evans.

Miss Adeline Richards gave a charming luncheon today in honor of Miss Christine Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. C. Low have returned from their wedding journey and are at home for the summer with Mrs. A. R. Meyer.

Miss Alice Richards, Miss Edna Thompson, Miss Katharine Snider and Miss Mary Withers will be among the first of the young people to return from school for the summer vacation. They will arrive Sunday morning. Miss Richards and Miss Thompson from Briarcliff-on-the-Hudson, Miss Snider and Miss Withers from Oaksmere, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Mrs. W. M. Abernathy and Miss Celia Abernathy have returned from a short visit in Manhattan, Kas., and are guests at the Baltimore hotel.

Mrs. E. E. Willey, guest for the past two months of her daughter, Mrs. Robert J. Thorpe, will leave tonight for New York preparatory to sailing for Europe, where she will spend the summer.

Thirty guests were entertained in a delightful manner this morning at the home of Mrs. J. A. Edson, 1227 Lincolnwood boulevard. A 10 o'clock bridge party was followed by a luncheon during which Geraldine Edson and Senator Emory Agramonte of New York rendered a most pleasing musical programme. Miss Edson has recently finished a year's study with Senator Agramonte. Mrs. Edson's home was attractively decorated for the occasion in white and green, a profusion of jessamine flowers being in evidence.

Mrs. Charles S. Morse of Austin, Tex., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Rockwell Clarke.

Mr. William R. Hereford of Paris arrived in Kansas City Tuesday evening to be the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. E. Ball and Mr. Ball, 2829 East Seventh street. Mr. Hereford's visit will extend over Sunday, after which he will join Mrs. Hereford, who is in Colorado Springs with her mother, Mrs. George Reynolds, and her sister, Mrs. Mortimer Serat. Mr. Hereford is manager of the Paris edition of the New York Herald, a post he has held for seven years. Later Mr. and Mrs. Hereford will return to Kansas City for a longer stay.

Mrs. Reid Murray is visiting Mrs. Ralph Jurden in Muskogee, Ok.

Mrs. Jacob Barzen and Mrs. Edward Ewing Cole have sent out invitations for a card party and kitchen shower the afternoon of Saturday, June 6, in honor of Miss Ruth Bushnell, to be given at the home of Mrs. Barzen 2823 Forest avenue. The guests will be limited to the close friends of Miss Bushnell.

Mrs. H. C. Timmonds, 1328 Prospect avenue, left yesterday for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Timmonds in Lamar, Mo.

Mrs. H. F. Noyes of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss May and Miss Dorothy Noyes are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Richardson, 3517 Tracy avenue.

Miss Mary Stewart of San Francisco, Cal., who recently returned from Europe, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. O. H. Snell, 2830 Park avenue.

Miss Franc Lape of Coffeyville, Kas., is the guest of Miss Mayne Anderson, 3015 East Twenty-seventh street.

Mrs. J. R. Elberg, 3304 Campbell street, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Rees in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mrs. Mark Salisbury of Independence will entertain her card club with a luncheon and bridge party Thursday afternoon, June 4, instead of Saturday, May 30.

Miss Grace Root of Oswatimie, Kas., is visiting Miss Lulu and Miss Mable Coyne, 2028 Euclid avenue.

Invitations will be sent out this week for the marriage of Miss Mary Evelyn Nugent and Mr. James S. Covert of Cleveland, O., which will take place Wednesday, June 10.

Mr. P. W. O. Dwyer, guest of Mrs. J. C. Twenty, 37 North Valley street, Kansas City, Kas., has returned to his home in New York city.

#### MACVICAR TO THE CITY CLUB.

The Des Moines Plan Will Be Explained at the Meeting To-Morrow.

At the luncheon of the City club to-morrow John MacVicar of Des Moines, will speak on "The Commission Government in Des Moines." Mr. MacVicar is secretary-treasurer of the League of American Municipalities, as well as a member of the Des Moines commission. The luncheon will be at 12.30 at the Sexton hotel.

Sued for \$1,100, Gets \$100. George M. Ellsworth, a contractor, obtained a verdict for \$100 in Judge Brumbaugh's division of the circuit court this morning against Frank M. Lowe, an attorney. The suit was for the return of \$1,100 which Ellsworth said he paid the attorney for obtaining a divorce from his wife.

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#### TO DOWN LIQUOR, \$35,000

PRESBYTERIANS TO KEEP UP THE OPPOSITION TO INTERTEMPERANCE.

"New Blood in Church Government" Created an Interesting Situation in the Assembly This Morning—Executive Commission Idea Up Again.

10:30 a. m.—Report of committee. 12:00 noon—Excursion to Fort Leavenworth and National Soldiers' home, and reception in First Presbyterian church of Leavenworth. 2:00 p. m.—Women's mission meeting in Second Presbyterian church. 8:00 p. m.—Welcome to Kansas City, Mayor Thomas J. Gifford, Jr., for Kansas City, Mo.; Mayor J. E. Connelley for Kansas City, Kas.; Rev. S. M. Neel, D. D., LL. D., for the Presbyterians of Kansas City; Judge Selden P. Spencer, LL. D., for the state of Missouri; Governor E. W. Hoch for the state of Kansas. Responsor in behalf of the General Assembly by the moderator.

The Presbyterian assembly in Convention hall grappled with the temperance question this morning, and when it had finished everything from a bottle to a brewery had been condemned. The enthusiasm of the committees when this subject came up was equalled only by the vigor with which they had attacked the question of church government a few minutes previously and arranged, once and for all, for measures that mean new blood and new ideas in that department.

The report from the committee on temperance was read by the Rev. William McKibben, D. D., of Tennessee, and every other line, telling of victories over the liquor traffic, was applauded by the assembly and the spectators in the balconies. The whole country, he said, was awake to the importance of the contest that is going forward. Business men, corporate men, everyone except brewers and saloon men, he said, are down on the evil which has done so much fearful havoc and ruined so many homes.

NO LIQUOR REVENUE FOR GOVERNMENT. Dr. McKibben's talk took in the whole range of temperance work and the attitude toward it of the states and churches. The assembly voted to appropriate \$35,000 to continue the work and adopted resolutions to continue no revenues derived from the liquor business should be used for popular government, and calling on Congress to "protect" states that had abolished the liquor business.

Prof. Charles Scanlon, the Rev. E. Trumbull Lee and the Rev. John Royal Harris of Tennessee also spoke.

The temperance committee's report showed that the receipts for the year were \$19,365, enabling it to close the year with out debt; 1,000 meetings were held and more than 6 million pages of literature distributed to every part of the United States and to South Africa, Central and South America, Canada, Korea, India, Ireland, Scotland, England, Alaska, the Philippines, Cuba, Porto Rico, Ceylon, Mexico, East and West Indies, Russia and Bulgaria.

A "ERANI" ON 200 FAITHFUL MEN. The morning session opened with a lively debate about an amendment to the report of the committee on administrative agencies adopted in a previous session.

The amendment, as adopted, provided that an executive commission of fifteen members should not include any paid agents of church boards or permanent officers of the general assembly. The Rev. S. J. Nicolls of St. Louis said he believed the assembly had adopted that amendment without understanding it. He didn't believe the assembly should cast a shadow on 200 men who had faithfully served the church. It had put a "brand" on these men, Dr. Nicolls said, and he was himself in the "outlawed" class. The assembly's action, he said, was unjust to men like Louis Severance of Cleveland, O., who gave from \$50,000 to \$100,000 a year to the church, and on John H. Converse of Philadelphia, equally generous. "I regret," Dr. Nicolls said, "that after such long service for the church I should be placed in a class that shall have no part in the government of the church."

#### AN OLD CONTROVERSY REVIVED.

Dr. Nicolls hardly had finished speaking before eighteen or twenty commissioners were on their feet. It was the recurrence of an old subject, an old controversy that has refused to be put down. For years many in the general assemblies have grown to feel that the government of the church had become centralized in a few men, to which some irreverently refer as a ring. Nothing ever was said, of course, against the integrity of any of these leaders. It was only, as in political conventions or in amateur theatricals, those who did the voting, who had the small roles, the thinking parts, grew to believe that it would be a fine idea to give someone else a chance on the big platform. For years the assemblies have heard the names of Roberts and Noble and Hubbard and others until they began to refer to them as the heads of an autocratic church, the promoters of a bureaucratic form of government that amounted to exclusion for those who would have enjoyed a chance at the reins.

#### TO GIVE THE REAR BANKS A CHANCE.

Commissioners, talking about Dr. Roberts, said they loved him, but he was so preternaturally efficient in the affairs of the church that no one else was needed to speak on any point. He had been in the assembly so long that he had everything at the tips of his fingers and on the end of his tongue. He knew everything and the commissioners were only pupils at school. So they have tried from year to year to change the form of government and get in some new idea that would control the several boards and put a check on these leading men in the church drama.

There are statesmen and parliamentarians in the Presbyterian assembly, but not Dr. Roberts. The men who pay him this tribute, however, follow it with the amiable declaration that he is the Theodore Roosevelt, the Richard Croker and the Uncle Joe Cannon rolled into one, of the Presbyterian church. Never an argument came up that Dr. Roberts couldn't decide, off hand, while others were wriggling through its intricacies.

#### AGAINST A ONE-MAN POWER.

"Too much power," has been the cry for years, with the result that, finally, came the determination to have an executive commission. As the administrative agency committee reported and this commission would have kept out only paid agents and members of the boards and permanent officers of the assembly. This would have cut out the authority of Dr. Roberts and Dr. Hubbard and Dr. Noble. Therefore Dr. Nicolls objected and that set the assembly a-going this morning with the high speed clutch in order, and when the war of parliamentarians was over and the moderator nearly had broken the big mallet—the little gavel disappeared long ago—an amendment to the amendment to the original report had been adopted. It came from the Rev. D. R. Kerr, of the Presbytery of St. Louis. It provided that the executive commission shall include no agents or members of the church boards or permanent officers of the assembly, except the moderator.

NEW MEN WILL GROW UP NOW. This means that all the boards will re-

port to the executive commission when it has been selected and that the big affairs of the church will be administered by men who have not heretofore served in executive capacities and are not, as a commissioner said, "too close to the business."

Many speeches almost passionate were made by commissioners before the question was settled. Dr. Kerr said the church had many, many men as competent as the 200 to whom Dr. Nicolls referred and, although no reflection on the 200 was intended, Dr. Henry Ward of Buffalo, said no 200 men could monopolize the ability of the Presbyterian church, but no one, he believed, should be excluded from serving on the commission. It was a criticism that was unjust.

The applause from the arena was so frequent that Dr. Fullerton, the moderator, said: "This is the only thing that has kept you up since we began, but please stop the applauding; it is delaying business." And then the commissioners applauded again.

#### TO OVERCOME THE DIVORCE EVIL.

At 11:30 o'clock the committee on marriage and divorce reported. This report showed that the Inter-church conference originated in a request, in 1902, from the Protestant Episcopal church, that other churches should unite with them in this effort. The leading churches of the country have responded favorably to this request. The conference is now composed of representatives of sixteen Protestant denominations, together with the representatives of the Alliance of the Reformed churches, and this important question is likewise occupying the attention of the Inter-church conference on federation, which represents 18 million Protestant communicants.

The assembly adopted resolutions continuing the committee, to report in 1909 and approving the efforts of the Inter-church conference in influencing public opinion to overcome the evils that threaten the sanctity of the marriage relation, the integrity of the family and the welfare of the state.

#### FOR FEWER GENERAL ASSEMBLIES.

Another resolution adopted before adjournment at noon authorized a committee to devise means to simplify the work of general assemblies; see if it will be advisable to meet less frequently and so reduce working expenses.

The commissioners and their families went to Leavenworth this afternoon by trolley. To-night they are to meet and their work being nearly finished, they are formally to be welcomed to the city by city and state officials.

#### GOSSIP OF THE ASSEMBLY.

One Commissioner Likes the Kansas City Air as Well as the Spirit.

The mass meeting in the interest of temperance announced for to-night is to be held Friday night at 8 o'clock in Convention hall.

The card he handed the visitor read:

Thomas Cochran, Sanitary Plumber, New York.

The button on his coat lapel indicated that he was a commissioner. And as he stood in the arcade of Convention hall he compared Kansas City to New York. "Just as busy—consequently—better, prettier," he said. "The drives here—I've noticed them particularly—are beautiful, more beautiful than we have at home."

Mr. Cochran was silent a moment. "Ah," he exclaimed, "there's so much room here. The houses—substantial ones they are, too—have pretty lawns and a person who lives here can breathe real air without going into the country for it. Why am I so effusive about Kansas City? It's my first visit here."

The Rev. J. C. Ray Ewing has been for twenty-nine years a missionary in India. In his address at the foreign mission popular meeting last night he gave the following as an illustration of English as it is written in India:

A native missionary, formerly a student in a Presbyterian college, was laboring in the famine stricken interior. He wrote this letter to friends in England: "I am a bubble upon the ocean. My principal desire is bread. If my humble petition is not granted I shall burst, leaving one vacant wife and four empty children."

The American Presbyterian church collects 25 million dollars every year for all purposes and 1 1/2 million dollars of this is spent for foreign missions.

The Rev. James M. Hubbard, assistant general secretary of the American Presbyterian church, says that the general assembly has never had such a large attendance as this year in Convention hall.

"The reason for it is that here we have every facility for handling a big crowd," he said. "The meetings last Saturday night and Sunday afternoon were the largest religious meetings that I have ever seen in this country."

The Rev. B. L. Agnew of Philadelphia is secretary of the Presbyterian board of ministerial relief.

"The first contribution to the board in the early '70s was \$13," he said, "and I think it was on Friday. We've been lucky ever since. The board now has 2 million dollars and has paid out \$374,000 last year. The purpose of the board of relief is to help superannuated ministers and the orphans and widows of ministers."

With Prof. John Willis Baer, president of Occidental college, Los Angeles, the question of the Chinese and Japanese in California has become a serious question. Prof. Baer left Kansas City, where he has been attending the assembly, for his home last night.

"There is a change gradually coming over the coast in this matter," he said yesterday, "and it is a change on the part of the business men. Many of them now stand for a modification of the Chinese exclusion laws. There are many also that are opposed to the drastic measures proposed by the Japanese and Korean Exclusion league to keep those persons out of this country. I believe these sentiments decide, off hand, while others were wriggling through its intricacies."

Prof. Baer said that "yellow journalism" was responsible for much of the

trouble on the coast. However, he stated that recently several coast papers had advocated the views taken by him in regard to Chinese and Japanese exclusion.

He was small, but interesting appearing. And the interest deepened when he let it be known that his name was Ole Oleson and that he was a commissioner from Camden, N. J., because he was an elder in the Woodland avenue church there.

"No relation to the Ole Oleson of stage fame?" the visitor inquired. "Not at all," was the answer. "I'm a ship carpenter."

"Merchant marine?"

"Battleships. I helped to build the Washington and the Kansas that went with Admiral Evans. I worked on the Michigan that was launched the other day, too. That's the way I work for my country."

Moderator Fullerton referred in his speech of acceptance last Thursday to the assistance he had received in his early work in Kansas City from a certain layman whom he did not name. Many guessed at once and correctly that the reference was to J. C. Cobb of Odesa, Mo.

When Dr. Fullerton came to Kansas City nearly thirty years ago, he found a church handicapped by a debt which seemed immense. Said Mr. Cobb to his friend, "Go ahead and raise what you can, and I'll see to the balance."

Mr. Cobb has been a loyal churchman all his life and has assisted many of its younger ministers in getting an education. He is a member of the board of missions and a trustee of Missouri Valley college.

The commissioners and missionaries are "inveterate" water drinkers. Every day the delivery wagon man of the "Fountain of Youth" Water company has had to bring in 300 gallons of distilled water to the hall. The water is furnished free.

Pittsburg, Pa., may be a dirty town, but it has some pretty suburbs. The Rev. J. M. Mercer, a commissioner from Coraopolis, a suburb of Pittsburg, says the place is as pretty as anyone could wish.

"It's the garden spot of that district," he said yesterday. "The millionaires of Pittsburg have accepted Coraopolis as a place to build their homes, and they're spending millions to do it."

Mr. Mercer has been pastor of his church in Coraopolis twenty-five years.

The board of education won't open the schoolhouses at night for the lectures of a "people's university." Then why don't the ministers open their churches and hold the lectures there?

It was the suggestion of the Rev. Henry Nicholas Dunning, pastor of the Clinton Avenue Presbyterian church of Albany, N. Y., made this morning when he heard that Kansas City's schools could not be used for educational purposes except during the daytime.

Once a week for a year he has thrown his church open at night to free lectures by various speakers on live moral and civic and educational questions. His church, he says, has a seating capacity of 1,600 and at every meeting has had a full attendance. Most of the audiences are men.

"It is a minister's duty to share in the work of general education," he said. "These lectures set people to thinking, encourage reading and discussion and wake up the community to pressing questions. I do not consider that the 'damaging done to the property' in which the lectures are held is a matter worth mentioning."

The following are some of the topics and the speakers on this year's course:

"The Strong Points and Weak of the Saloon," Thomas H. Reed, attorney.

"Divorce in America," George H. Cobb, state senator thirty-sixth district.

"The Moral Problem in the Modern City," John J. Brady, city judge.

"The Fundamentals of Masonry," the Rev. Dr. W. B. Sanford, district attorney.

"The Moral Value and Average Man," George Addington, county judge.

"Is Justice a Real in the Industrial World?" John Williams, state commissioner of labor.

"The Church and the Individual," Prof. Ed. Ward, Yale divinity school.

"The Moral Results of the Labor Question," J. S. Whelan, secretary of state.

"The Social Science," Today and Tomorrow, Rabbi S. Goldenberg.

"Christian Science," Dr. Chas. M. Culver, American Association of Medicine.

"Journalistic Ethics," J. H. Potts, managing editor, Troy Times.

"The Subject of the Twentieth Century Woman," Mrs. W. Winslow Crumell.

"The Nation's Demand on Young Men," Hon. Robin B. Sanford, district attorney.

"The Transformation of the Under Graduate," Howard J. Rogers, first assistant commissioner of education.

Is Kansas City the only place that has had poor milk conditions? Several of the commissioners attending the Presbyterian assembly came from milk producing countries and each tells a story of clean dairies, inspection of milk and cattle, well-ventilated barns and milking houses. W. B. Connelley came from Hebron, Ill., and in that country there are no dairies, no milk enough, in fact, to cause a "milk train" to be run through it every day. From Hebron two carloads of bottled milk are shipped to Chicago every day, two carloads of milk "warranted pure."

"It's a case of 'have to,'" the commissioner explained this morning. "Much of the milk goes to the large condensing companies in the metropolis. These companies insist on the regulation amount of butter fat, total solids and above all things purity. This means more work for the dairymen, it means the expense of barns that are what they should be, an inspection of milk and the elimination of preservatives."

Churchmen from nearby cities appear to be taking almost as keen an interest in the assembly as Kansas City people do. The Rev. J. S. Clendenning of the Second Presbyterian church of Topeka—who is not a commissioner himself, but who dropped in—said that yesterday and the day before more than fifty Topeka business men visited the assembly.

One of the commissioners from the synod of Topeka lives in Kansas City. He is the Rev. Samuel T. Davis, D. D., M. D., of 2308 Campbell street. He now preaches in a number of churches, but is registered in Oklahoma—in the synod of Topeka.

C. M. Manker, commissioner from Webb City, Mo., is cashier of the Merchants' and Miners' bank at that place.

"Webb City is in an agricultural country underlaid with zinc," he said. "We have crops above ground and below."

The Rev. William M. Dager sails next Wednesday from New York for his station, Elat, West Africa, where he has been for eight and one-half years. He is a native of Cincinnati.

## John Taylor

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### MONTH-ENDING SPECIALS AGAIN TO-MORROW.

All merchandise remaining from to-day's Month-Ending selling will be continued on sale to-morrow at the same low prices. Important additions are made for to-morrow. All lots are plainly marked out with special price tickets, making it easy to distinguish these extra special collections from those displayed as regular lines.

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### A Great Sale of Suits at \$12.75

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### French Underwear Month-Ending Special

Soiled pieces of French Underwear, including Gowns, Chemise, Skirts, Drawers and Chemise, priced at 1/3 off.

### More Month-Ending Waist Specials

Tailored White China Silk Waists, \$2.95 value, special, \$1.50.

Black Taffeta Silk Waists, special lot, \$5.95 values, \$3.95.

### In the Children's Section, Third Floor

Children's Straw Bonnets, dainty styles, ribbon trimmed—\$3.95 values for \$2.95—\$2.50 and \$2.95 values for \$1.95—\$1.50 values for 98c.

Children's Cloth Reefers in fancy light stripes and checks, 2 to 6-year sizes, \$3.95 and \$4.50 values, at \$2.95.

### Bargain Square Month-Ending Special Women's Knit Underwear

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, no sleeve, umbrella pant trimmed with pretty Val. lace; 75c value, special at 45c.

Women's Lisle and cotton Vests, low neck, no sleeve, fancy yokes in many patterns; 25c and 39c values, 18c each, 3 for 50c.

Women's Lisle pants, fine ribbed, cuff knee, French band; 39c value, 18c each, 3 for 50c.

### Month-Ending Sale of Skirts, \$3.95, \$10

First Group—Upwards of 150 Skirts made of Panama cloth in black, blue and brown, and of dark check wool material, involving values as high as \$10, on sale at \$3.95.

Second Group—Upwards of 50 Skirts made of Voile and Panama, black and colors, odds and ends, values up to \$19.50, at \$10.

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**BELTS**—Beautiful embroidered washable Belts, pearl buckles, valued up to 65c, choice to-morrow..... 25c

**HOSIERY**—Best quality lisle thread Hosiery, hand embroidered; also new lace boot effects, 75c quality, at..... 48c

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Oh, them days on Red Horse Mountain, when the skies wuz fair 'nd blue, When the money flowed like likker, 'nd the folks wuz brave 'nd true! When the nights wuz crisp 'nd balmy, 'nd the camp wuz all astir, With the joints all throwed wide open 'nd no sheriff to demur. Oh, them times on Red Horse Mountain in the Rockies far away— There's no place now times like them as I kin find today!

—Eugene Field, "A Little Book of Western Verse."

There is still a town where the frontier lingers, where cowboys, with three months' wages in their pockets, come in to go on howling drunks and puncture the air with bullets. "The money flows like likker, the folks are brave 'nd true," but the joints are throwed wide open—"nd there the application of the verse halts. There is a sheriff to demur; and for six years he's been taming the most Western town of the West into peacefulness.

HE'S "THE FIGHTING ELDER."

The town is St. Anthony, Idaho, and

But the town folks made sort of a fuss about it. I like the town awful well, I've had offers of jobs in other cities—Boise, Salt Lake and one or two others—but St. Anthony pays me \$125 a month and my home's there, you know, so I don't think I'll leave."

## KILLED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT.

A Car Fell Down an Embankment in Seattle, Impaling Seven Persons.

SEATTLE, WASH., May 28.—Mrs. Amanda Otoleny of New York city was killed when a motor car carrying seven persons fell over an embankment on Magnolia bluff last night and landed on its back with every member of the party underneath. Vera Brace, a 12-year-old girl, was the only witness of the accident. She ran three-quarters of a mile to Interbay for help. It was nearly half an hour before men were able to get the car propped up and release the imprisoned motorists.

## NEW HOME OF MARVIN GATES.

A Dutch Colonial House to Be Built on Main Near Forty-Fifth.

A. Van Brunt & Brother are the architects for the residence that Marvin H. Gates is building on the east side of Main street near Forty-fifth street. The house is of the Dutch colonial style with a gray shingle roof. The walls will be of brick.

On the first floor will be a living room, reception room, dining room, kitchen and accessory rooms. This floor will be finished in oak. There will be four

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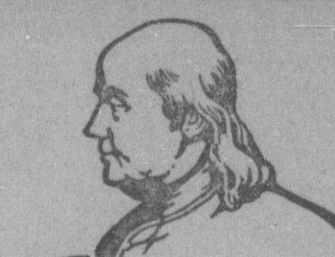
THE NEBRASKAN CAN'T WIN, SAYS GOVERNOR JOHNSON'S MANAGER.

Delegates From the South Will Control, Asserts Mr. Lynch, and the Minnesota Man's Nomination Is Predicted on the Second or Third Ballot.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Frederick B. Lynch, manager of the Johnson campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination, issued a statement to-day declaring that William J. Bryan cannot be nominated on the first ballot in the Denver convention and asserting that the chances for the nomination of Governor Johnson on the second or third ballot are excellent.

Mr. Lynch went over the delegate situation in detail. The Southern states which have yet to select and instruct delegates to Denver, hold the key to the presidential contest, he said. They have 250 votes, and more than half of them will be against Bryan, making more than one-third of the national gathering hostile to the Nebraska, according to Mr. Lynch.

"The nominee of the Democratic party will be named at Denver and not before," said the Johnson manager. "Practically all the uninstructed delegates will be with Governor Johnson from the start. There is every assurance that a number of other



## Ole Skjarsen—

there never was a full-back like him—six feet six, weighed two-hundred in his Adam clothes, built like a bull and a pile-driver and a thirteen-inch projectile and an automobile all merged into one harmonious whole.

You saw his picture in the papers, of course—that one with his hair down over his nose-guard, and his ear pulled down over his shoulder.

With Ole at full-back, Siwash College had beaten six State Universities by an average of seven touchdowns, two goal-kicks, a rib, three jawbones, and four new kinds of yells.

But Ole Struck! "I ent play futbol des year. I ban strike."

And there follows the most hilariously engaging college story you ever read—**The Big Strike at Siwash.** Be sure to read it, in this week's SATURDAY EVENING POST, and get acquainted with the members of the Alfalfa Dels, the Sigh Whoopsions, and the Eta Pies, not to mention Bost, the coach, who put in a cash register and rang up touch-downs on the side lines.

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values here for..... \$3.00

Ladies' golden brown Gibson Ties, kid or patent calf; regular

\$2.50 shoes, here only..... \$1.98

Broken lots button Oxfords and Gibson Ties, in patent calf; regular at

\$3.50 and \$4; on sale now..... \$2.48

Boys' \$2 tan calf Oxfords, sizes 10 to 5½; regular \$2 values, here, a pair..... \$1.50

Gibson Ties for misses and children, patent calf, in

Sizes 5 to 8, Our Price..... \$1.20

Sizes 8½ to 11, Our Price..... \$1.35

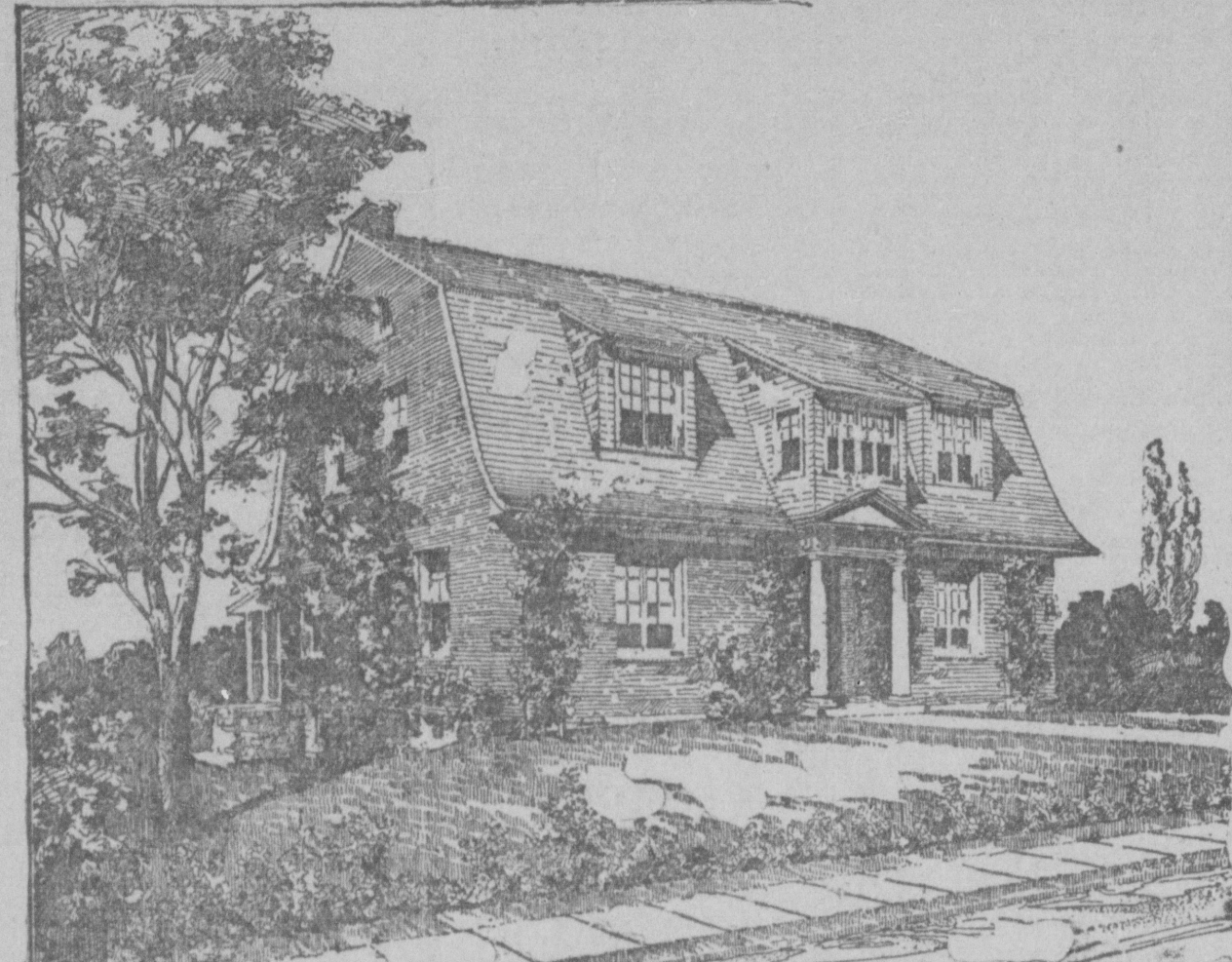
Sizes 11½ to 2, Our Price..... \$1.50

Sizes 2½ to 5, Our Price..... \$1.75

Very attractive selections in misses' and children's tan Oxfords.

## Silk Petticoats

With \$7.50 value at \$3.98, to-morrow will mark an eventful day in our Silk Petticoat department, where values are conceded by many to be at all times matchless in this town. These are the Regatta Taffeta Petticoats and 100 bright all silk plaid Taffeta Petticoats, \$7.50 kind, at only..... \$3.98



THE DUTCH COLONIAL HOUSE WHICH WILL BE BUILT FOR MARVIN H. GATES.

the "sheriff"—or rather, the marshal—is H. A. Buchanan, commissioner to the Presbyterian general assembly and known as "the fighting elder." In a town of not quite 2,000 inhabitants he has made 1,600 arrests in six years. Three times he has been elected marshal on the Democratic ticket and three times on the Republican.

He stood in the arcade of Convention hall this morning shifting nervously from one foot to another as he talked and fearful all the time that he would say something that the folks back home would think was boasting if they heard of it. It required a cross-examination to make him talk at all. He stroked his tanned face, which had more wrinkles in it than a middle-aged face ought to have and his blue eyes gleamed with good humor as he talked. Sometimes his white collar appeared to hurt his neck. Other times his derby hat had to be shifted because it was pinching his forehead.

"There ain't much to tell," he said. "I was sent for. I had been a guard on mail trains which carried gold through the Klondike and up the Yukon, and had had experience in—in such matters. Honest, now, I never had any exciting experiences.

NO MORE SHOOTING UP, HE SAID.

"Well, I was sent for and came. I served notice right away that there wouldn't be any more shooting up the town permitted. The cowboys and sheepmen weren't going to be bluffed and they went right on. That meant fights. They soon got all right."

"But how? What happened?"

"Oh, they came in shootin' into the sky and howling. I told them they were making too much noise. I had to arrest them."

"But didn't you have to fight?"

"Yes, of course. They weren't going to let anyone bluff 'em."

The fighting elder's modesty was almost exasperating.

"And didn't you have to shoot?"

"Sometimes I had to. But I never hit any one. I never found that necessary. I never believed that it was necessary to kill a man to make lawbreakers fear you. A religious man, with a—er—with nerve enough can handle lawbreakers as well as any murdering saloon ruffian. I used my club because often I've had to. Some of the folks I've arrested, you know, were tough customers to handle. They fought, you understand."

After that long speech the fighting elder seemed almost ready to blush. He felt nervously in his pocket for a handkerchief and as his right hand touched his hip pocket his eyes opened a little wider and a troubled frown quickly succeeded—then changed just as quickly again into a smile.

MISSED HIS SIX-SHOOTER.

"First time in seven years I've been without a six-shooter and I felt an empty pocket," he apologized.

Then, in his bashfulness he was backing away from the interviewer. His collar was choking him, his derby hat didn't fit at all. In adjusting the hat the third time a gleam of gold showed under his coat lapel.

"Your star?" the interviewer asked.

"The marshal saw he was caught again. 'No! No! You mustn't,' he said. 'The folks at home—'

"Your star?" the interviewer persisted.

"No-o-o. It's a little gold badge that the St. Anthony fire department gave me."

"Gave you for what?"

"Oh, a fire. I went in and got a woman out and they gave a gold badge. You know; a sort of medal."

"A fire?"

"A hotel fire. I carried a woman downstairs."

"Well! Go on!"

"She was suffocated. But she got all right soon afterward," the elder hurriedly added. "It wasn't much. I just went up a smoky stairway and carried her down

bedrooms and three bathrooms on the second floor. There will be a laundry in the basement. The house will have outside dimensions of 30x42 feet and the kitchen wing will be 20x15 feet. A feature will be a big southwest porch, which will be screened in for a summer dining room. Glass will be substituted for screens in the winter time.

## WAINWRIGHT TO BE ADMIRAL.

Promotion of the Division Commander Recommended by Admiral Sperry.

SEATTLE, WASH., May 28.—Rear Admiral C. S. Sperry, commanding the Atlantic fleet, says that he has recommended to the Navy department that Captain Richard Wainwright, in command of the second division, be appointed acting rear admiral at once. That it is the purpose of the Navy department to place Captain Wainwright in command of the fleet for part of the cruise around the world is the belief of the officers. Captain Wainwright's promotion would ordinarily have come when he was on his way to the Orient.

## SCOUT CRUISERS OFF NEW YORK.

The Chester Coming Before Going to Sea for Its Official Tests.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Both the new scout cruisers which have been built for the navy are now anchored in the North river here, the Chester having arrived from Boston and joined its sister ship, the Birmingham. Both these new warships are primarily intended as messenger vessels and are not armored, but have high speed and great steaming radius. The Chester is expected to take ammunition at the Brooklyn navy yard before going to sea for its official tests.

## UNITARIANS BUSY IN BOSTON.

Four Subsidiary Organizations Met To-day as Part of the Programme.

BOSTON, May 28.—The seventh annual meeting of the Unitarian Historical society, a public meeting of the Massachusetts convention of Congregational ministers, a conference of postoffice mission workers, and the annual meeting of the Meadville Alumni association, were held during the forenoon to-day as part of the programme of the fourth day of the American Unitarian association's anniversary week meetings.

delegations will come to him on the second ballot. Bryan's nomination would seem to be impossible, and Governor Johnson's nomination is the only alternative.

"Relatively, the status of the contest for the Democratic nomination for President which is now universally regarded as being between Governor Johnson and Bryan," continues Mr. Lynch's statement, "is just what it was a month ago. Then, as now, it remains for the Southern states to determine who shall be the Democratic nominee for President. Only three Southern states—Alabama, Florida and South Carolina—have selected their delegates.

"The Southern states which have yet to elect, are Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and Kentucky. These states have 250 votes. They can name Johnson or Bryan.

"There are other states with sixty-eight votes yet to hold their conventions, but the fact remains that the 250 unelected Southern delegates hold the balance of power."

## FALL DOWN A STAIRWAY FATAL.

General Postles, a Civil War Veteran, Injured in a Masonic Temple.

WILMINGTON, DEL., May 28.—General James Parke Postles, one of the successful manufacturers of morocco leather, died in a hospital here yesterday from injuries received by a fall down a flight of stairs in the Masonic temple two weeks ago. General Postles was a Civil war veteran and received a special medal from Congress for bravery at the battle of Gettysburg.

## Commendation for Linwood's Principal.

To The Star: I would like to commend Miss Emma J. Lockett, the principal of the Linwood school, for the wise thing she did yesterday in dismissing her pupils. I do not mean that I am excusing the parents of the pupils for being afraid of a black cloud. But I do think that Miss Lockett was wise and kind and ought to be praised for dismissing the children and making their parents feel glad to see them come running home safe before the storm broke. It is such a pleasant thing to see any one entrusted with the care of children rise now and then above the rules laid down and act with common sense.

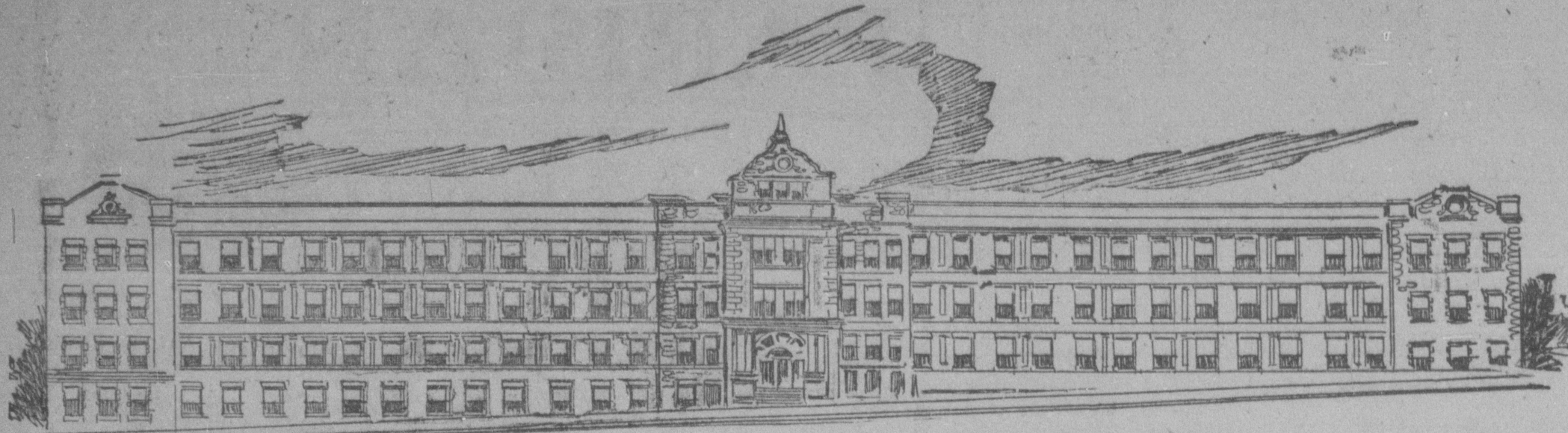
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## WIFE MADE HIM PRESIDENT

THE STORY OF THE RISE OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC'S HEAD.

Fallieres Was an Indolent Young Lawyer Till His Wife, Stung by the Sneers of Relatives, Planned a Future for Her Gifted Husband.

LONDON, May 28.—The presence in England of President Armand Fallieres of France at a time when the public hasn't ceased wagging about the rise of H. H. Asquith to the prime ministry and the amount of credit due his tactful and friends-winning wife, Margot Tennant, that was, have given the active friends of the other sex renewed room for boasting.

President Fallieres isn't a self-made man. He lacks the initiative, the energy and the ambition for that sometimes sorely miscarried process. President Fallieres is the product, so you are told, of his ambitious and energetic wife, Mme. le President. Madame is all that the president of the French republic is not, and it is entirely through her desire to be revenged upon certain sneering relatives that her distinguished husband is not to-day the mayor of the sleepy Old World town of Nerac, in Gascony. Had it not been for Mme. Fallieres's force and diplomacy her gifted other half would now be leading the sheltered and stunted life of an ordinary legal practitioner in his modest country home instead of the luminous career of head of his nation, entertained by royalty across the channel, paid 34 million dollars a year, forced to live in the great white Elysee palace and be shot at by anarchistic muddle brains (in common with most of the blessed of modern greatness).

HE ROSE FROM OBSCURITY.

The true facts about Clement Armand Fallieres (sometimes also called Eugene by those who know the fullness of his sundry cognomens), have been greatly exaggerated. You may be told, if you care to read, that Fallieres was born in a smith's but in the most straitened of circumstances; that he rose from the depths of poverty through his own efforts, and more of the usual exaggerated nonsense attributed to those who may rise from comparative obscurity to notability.

As a matter of fact, Fallieres was the grandson of the blacksmith in the myth, while his father was a thrifty (not to say



MME. FALLIERES, WHO MADE HER HUSBAND PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

wealthy) wine grower. The son had a reasonably complete education and was a law student in the little city of Nerac. He was by no means dull, but nature had instilled into his bones a certain lethargic essence not a bit rare in a Gascon. Henry of Navarre knew the Gascons as poor swordsmen; a later generation may find them poor workers.

MADAME'S REVENGE IN THE END.

Aside from this indisposition for special efforts the young lawyer was distinguished as a dreamer. "Cracked brains revolutionist" and "feather brains" were some of the really fine epithets to which relatives of Mme. Fallieres treated the future president of a great people when they learned of the prospective alliance. Fallieres didn't mind much. In common with dreamers he understood his superiority and would have let it be. No so madame.

Once married to her brilliant but indolent barrister Mme. Fallieres brought about a peace with her father and secured for her socially inferior husband the rich legal practice of the elder lawyer. She established a sort of provincial political salon at Nerac, had the happy faculty of making friends and the rare presence of distinguishing those whose devotion might prove disastrous. With herself always in the background she labored with the vim peculiar to a hurt, ambitious woman and she worked better than may be told in mere words.

To-day the spiteful relatives bow to the husband who has no social superiors in France—and possibly to the skill of his wife.

## IN MEMORY OF DEAD COMRADES.

Services to be held by Philippine Veterans in Elmwood Cemetery, Saturday.

Camp Louis A. Craig, Society of Army of the Philippines, and Camp John C. Bates, No. 7, United Spanish-American War Veterans, will hold military services in honor of the memory of dead comrades at Elmwood cemetery Saturday morning, Decoration day. The auxiliary camp, La Loma, will assist. The organizations will meet at 9 o'clock Saturday morning in uniform at the Third regiment armory and then go to Elmwood.

## HOSPITAL FOR RARE MALADIES.

Rockefeller to Furnish Additional Funds for His Meningitis Research House.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Tentative plans have been made for a large hospital to be conducted in connection with the Rockefeller institute for medical research. It is understood that the idea has been approved by John D. Rockefeller and that the funds will be provided by him. The institute was founded primarily for investigation of cerebro-spinal meningitis. Mr. Rockefeller was prompted to this through the death of a favorite grandson of the malady.

The hospital will be unique. Its patients will be those suffering from obscure diseases, either chronic or of nature which have been a puzzle to medical science. The objects will be first, to cure ailments which have failed to respond to the ordinary method of treatment, and, second, to afford material for observation by the scientists who are at work in the institute.

## A PLOT AGAINST PROHIBITION?

Secret Efforts to Nullify the Kansas Law Are Alleged.

WICHITA, KAS., May 28.—One of the strongest secret societies in the country has its home in Kansas. Its object is to ultimately destroy the prohibition laws of the state. The exact strength of the organization is not fully known at present, and is little comprehended by those not in touch with its workings.

Wichita is the southern headquarters, and meetings are being held frequently. There is plenty of money in sight to promote the membership. It is stated that \$30,000 will be raised to start a new daily paper here. The society is pledged to support all candidates for political office who favor the repeal of prohibition laws. In the hands of some members of the city council here are ordinances repealing the strict prohibitory laws of this city. These measures will be "sprung" when it is evident to the backers that there are enough votes present at a council meeting to assure passage, the intention being to again permit of the open saloon and monthly fine system.

## A Skating Carnival at Electric.

The first skating carnival to be given at Electric park will be in the new roller rink at 9:15 o'clock. There will be fancy skating, races and a contest for couples. To-night the Banda Rossa will play the following attractive programme at Electric park:

March, "The Kansas City Spirit".....Sorrentino  
"Rouge et Noir" (Valse Lente).....Latter  
Overture, "Poet and Peasant".....Suppe  
Reminiscences of California.....Sorrentino  
Grand selection from "Lohengrin".....Wagner  
Second Hungarian "Rhapsodie".....Liszt  
"Meditation".....Corti  
Solo, baritone, saxophone—Sig. Corti  
Quartet from "Il Rigoletto".....Verdi  
March, "Funkele Funicula".....Dennis

## Light Opera Musio at Fairmount.

Among the numbers on the programme of H. O. Wheeler's band in Fairmount park to-night, the scores of several light operas will be played. The programme:

March, "The Prophet".....Meyerbeer  
Grand Tantele, "The Bohemian Girl".....Halle  
Polish National Dance.....Schubert  
Overture Hungarian.....Keler Bela  
March, "Old Faithful".....Holman  
Sleeping Beauty.....Tchaikovsky  
Selection from "The Beggar Student".....Muller  
Finale, "Out On a Lark".....Coe

## Programme of the Banda Bianca.

The Banda Bianca di Milano programme to-night at Carnival park includes selections from Verdi's operas. It follows:

March, "Waving Plumes".....Miner  
"La Gazza Ladra".....Rossini  
Selection from "Il Trovatore".....Verdi  
Piccino Solo.....Signor Clapton  
Episodes in a Policeman's Life.....Rever  
"Lombardi".....Verdi  
"La Barcarole".....Widmark  
Moving Pictures, accompanied by special music.

## For Decoration Day at Forest Park.

Forest park is making preparations for Saturday, Decoration day. The gates will be open early in the morning instead of at 12 o'clock as on other days. As an added attraction a fireworks demonstration will be given on the lawn at 9:30 o'clock in the evening.

## Out of Sight.

From the Chicago News.

Landlady—You can't pay to-day? Why, I thought you said the ghost would walk? Tragedian (gloomily)—I thought so, but it looks as though the ghost took an airship.

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## COMMENCEMENT AT LIBERTY.

Diplomas Are Won by Thirteen Young Women Students of the College.

LIBERTY, Mo., May 28.—Commencement week at the Liberty Ladies' college will close this evening with the annual alumni banquet at the college. The exercises began last Sunday with the baccalaureate address at the Christian church, where the sermon was preached by Dr. M. A. Hart, pastor of the Christian church at Columbia, Mo.

Monday evening the Cleophas Literary society presented a farce comedy in the college chapel. Tuesday afternoon the annual art reception was held by the art classes. The annual piano contest was held the following evening, Miss Bessie Beatty of Talala, Ok., being awarded the piano offered as an annual prize to the

excelling student of piano music in the college.

The regular commencement exercises were held at the Corbin opera house Wednesday evening, diplomas being handed over to thirteen young women. The graduates are:

Lea Pearson, Eagleville, Mo.; Mary Moore, Paris, Mo.; Anne Franklin, Cameron, Mo.; Willa Williams, Kansas City; Dora Sharp, Liberty, Mo.; Floy Crews, Liberty, Mo.; Gertrude Johnston, Platte City, Mo.; Sadie Ray, Bailey, Big Timber, Mont.; Lydia Bolton, Mount Hope, Kan.; Edith Lowrance, Alliance, Ok.; Virgie Mackey, Meleta, Tex.; Janet Johnson, Fairlane City, Mo., and Elsie Griffith, Liberty, Mo.

## THE MUSIC OF A RINGING COIN.

How a Five-Cent Show "Barker" Applied His Psychology.

The "barker" for a five-cent moving picture show was receiving little attention. His explanation of the merits of

the continuous performance was coldly ignored. Suddenly he had an idea. Taking a silver dollar from his pocket he spun it in the air and it fell to the tiled entrance to the show with a jingle that sounded—well the sound would have made anyone turn to look.

"Goin' on all the time. New pictures. New songs. No waits or delays." Several of those who had turned and looked for the jingling dollar bought tickets for the show.

"I didn't study psychology at college for nuthin'," the "barker" said.

## Another Fool Question.

From Puck.

Lawyer Hawk—Do you know the nature of an oath, sir?

Mr. Parrot (ironically)—Aw, say, what do you take me for—a bird of paradise, or the dove of peace.

## Memorial Day

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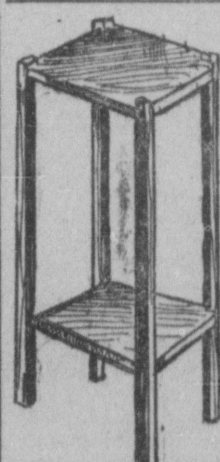
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## A CARDINAL VISITS CONEY

THE SHOOTING GALLERY WAS AN ATTRACTION TO MGR. LOGUE.

Six Bull's-Eyes Out of Ten Shots Was the Record of the Churchman—Crested, the Musician, Remarked—Topics of New York.

New York, May 28.—Cardinal Logue, primate of all Ireland, made a round of some of the shows of Coney Island last night and distinguished himself as a marksman. News of the cardinal's presence had spread and an immense crowd thronged about him. Undismayed, the genial primate smiled blandly at the scene, nodded right and left in friendly, democratic fashion and said:

"Sure, Luna park is amazingly fine. I wish it was over near Ireland."

Then, to the amazement of his clerical friends, the cardinal, catching sight of a shooting gallery, remarked:

"If you don't mind, gentlemen, I'll try a shot or two. Many's the rabbit I've hit on the run in the old days."

Followed by Manager Hays and Father Lavelle, both obviously uneasy at the unexpected sportiveness of their distinguished charge, the cardinal strode quickly to the shooting gallery and picked up a rifle. It did not suit him, and he tried another. To the amazement of all beholders he threw open the breech and examined the magazine mechanism with the eye of an expert.

"This one is all right," he exclaimed, and in another minute he was blazing away at the smallest bull's-eye in the range. Ten times he fired in quick succession and six of his bullets found the mark.

"Fine shooting," remarked a surprised friend, while the watching crowd raised a cheer.

"Yes, pretty good," calmly responded His Eminence. "But I'm sadly out of practice to miss four shots."

A PASTOR REFUSED A RAISE.

The Rev. L. Ward Brigham, pastor of All Souls' Universalist church of Flatbush, has refused an increase in salary. It is said that the trustees of the church will increase the pastor's salary in spite of his protest.

A SECOND BRIDE FOR CREATOR.

Creator, the bandmaster and originator of the gymnastic style of hand directing, now being imitated by band leaders, has taken his second plunge into the matrimonial sea. His bride is Mme. Barill, a widely known singer and niece of Mme. Patti, who has traveled with his band as soloist for some time. It is also



MME. BARILL, NIECE OF MME. PATTI, WHO HAS BECOME THE WIFE OF CREATOR.

Mme. Barill's second step matrimonially. There was talk here a few weeks ago to the effect that the two were married, but the rumor could not be verified until yesterday, when the certificate was filed in the bureau of vital statistics by the Rev. Charles D. Sinkinson of the Methodist Protestant church in Atlantic City, who performed the ceremony Sunday, April 20.

THE BREAD LINE IS TO MOVE.

The famous old bread line established by Otto F. Fleischmann at Tenth street and Broadway thirty-two years ago, will be moved a week from next Monday. Grace church, which owns the property in front of which, night after night, the company has distributed bread free to all who fell in line, has decided to tear down the building. It is said the space will be used as a garden in connection with the church. A new bread line will be formed at the northwest corner of Eleventh street and Broadway, where Mr. Fleischmann has leased a building. A cafe and restaurant will be conducted at the new place and, as in the past, free bread will be given to all who ask for it. Coffee also will be served free on cold nights.

Mr. Fleischmann said to-day: "We are glad to be able to continue this charity, as we feel that many a poor man and woman is helped by it. When we were told that Grace church wished the property, we felt that as long as we had to seek new quarters, we must provide also for a new bread line."

BIG LINERS TO RACE AGAIN.

What promises to be a most exciting race between rival steamers began to-day when the Hamburg-American liner Deutschland and the French line steamer La Savoie left the Hudson river at the same hour, 10 o'clock, bound for the English channel. The ships are the fastest of their respective lines and met on two other occasions, dividing the honors. The coming race is to be the "rubber" and is exciting a great deal of talk in shipping and tourist circles. Until the Cunarders came out the Deutschland held the record for a single day's run.

GAMINE ARISTOCRATS ON SHOW.

What is expected to be the best collection of bulldogs ever seen in the country will be exhibited to-day when the Bulldog club show opens in West Forty-second street. As the result of competition being thrown open to all sections of the country, some notable entries have been made, including most of the "cracks" in the bulldog world. Among these are William Carman's champion, Kentish Lilly, from Providence, R. I., and her rival champion, Leone Hazelwyn, as well as the lightweights, Mrs. Hamilton's Dundee Pandora, Richard Crocker, jr.'s Belanshe, and Tyler Morse's Mme. Menele. Among the heavy weight celebrities are Thomas Grisdale's champion, Goliath Odin, F. H. McConnell's Lord Chancellor and Thomas W. Lawson's champion, Fashion.

Not for Willie.

From the Chicago Record-Herald. "Shall I set up the insanity plea for you?" asked the lawyer. "Great heavens, no! The keepers of these madhouses have got so they take such pleas seriously."

## JOHNSON FOR PUBLICITY, TOO.

The Name of the Contributor and the Amount Should Be Published.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, who was in Chicago yesterday on his way from the South to Minneapolis, gave his indorsement to the effort W. J. Bryan is making to have Congress pass the bill requiring publicity for campaign contributions. Governor Johnson suggested that candidates in general elections be required to reveal how much was contributed, but that candidates for nomination be required to show how much they spent and by whom it was contributed.

## ANOTHER GOULD RECEIVERSHIP

It Is Reported the Pittsburgh Terminal Company Will Default on Its Interest.

New York, May 28.—Despite recent assurances from a high quarter that the financial problems confronting the Gould system of railroads would be solved easily, there were persistent reports in Wall street yesterday that the semi-annual interest due June 1, on the 2½ million dollar first mortgage bonds of the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal company would be defaulted. The interest amounts to about \$600,000.

No official information could be obtained, but bankers connected with the Gould system of railroads said they failed to see how a receivership for the property could be avoided. It was even reported that receivership papers already had been prepared.

The Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal company was organized to extend the Gould lines into Pittsburgh. It is controlled by the Wabash and in turn controls through stock ownership the Wheeling & Lake Erie, the Gould line from Toledo to Cleveland, the same state, where connection is made with the Pittsburgh Terminal property. It cost the Goulds 50 million dollars to build into Pittsburgh and the bitter opposition of the Pennsylvania and the New York Central lines was encountered. The extension never has been a paying property.

## COMMENCEMENT OF K. S. A. C.

Domestic Science and Art the Leading Course at the Manhattan School.

MANHATTAN, KAS., May 28.—The forty-first annual commencement week of the Kansas State Agricultural college will begin, Sunday, June 14. One of the largest classes in the history of the school, numbering 114, will be graduated. The Rev. Robert Jarvis, D. D., of the First Presbyterian church of Winfield, Kas., will preach the baccalaureate sermon in the college auditorium.

Monday, June 15, the department of music will give its annual recital in the auditorium. Tuesday, June 16, examinations will begin. The senior play will be given in the evening to invited guests. Wednesday morning, June 17, will be the last of the examinations at the close of the term. The afternoon will be given up to the annual business meetings of the Alumni association, class and society reunions.

Ernest F. Nichols, '88, now professor of experimental physics in Columbia university, will deliver the triennial alumni address. The commencement address will be given Thursday morning, June 18, by Dr. Albion W. Swall, dean of the graduate college of the University of Chicago. Thursday afternoon the Cadet band will give a concert, which will be followed by a dress parade by the college battalion. The triennial banquet of the Alumni association in the new Y. M. C. A. building will conclude the commencement exercises. The Y. M. C. A. building will be dedicated during the week, but definite arrangements have not as yet been made.

Of the different courses that of domestic science and art will graduate the largest number of students this year. The others in order of their rank are: electrical engineering, agriculture, general science, mechanical engineering, veterinary science and architectural courses.

## A FIGHT AGAINST PROHIBITION.

The Model License League to Make a Campaign in New York.

NEW YORK, May 28.—That the wave of prohibition sentiment would meet resistance of a new and formidable character and that the new anti-prohibition propaganda had shown good results already was asserted to-day by G. R. Washburn, secretary of the National Model License league, who is here to begin an active campaign in this state to prevent a repetition of the results obtained by the prohibitionists in the South. Washburn said the chief desire of those responsible for the league's existence is to have the saloon taken from politics. The league, which was organized October 24, last, has a membership of 800 which represents, it is asserted, a capital of 500 million dollars. The active membership is composed of wholesale liquor dealers, brewers, distillers, barrel manufacturers, bankers, insurance men and others, who have interests allied with the liquor trade.

"We all know," said Washburn, "that prohibition never accomplished anything, and the only way we can get our business in correct shape is by a license system that is just to all. We believe that if society will treat the liquor dealer just as any other merchant it will be best for everyone. For these reasons we advocate what has been termed 'the model license law.' This model law provides for the automatic suspension for thirty days of the license of a man on first conviction of violation of the terms of his license. A second conviction provides for the revocation of the license."

## BRYAN IGNORANT OF BANKING?

That Is the Assertion of David D. Forgan, a Chicago Banker.

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David R. Forgan, president of the National City Bank of Chicago, believes that the Nebraska does not, despite the fact that the Democratic leader has spoken many times recently on banking problems and has urged the guaranty system for the depositor as a safeguard against financial panics. Mr. Bryan's latest utterance on the question was delivered a few days ago before the Bankers' club of Chicago. Mr. Forgan addressed students of the University of Chicago last night, and served for a moment from his general topic, "The Dignity of Commercial Life," by taking a rap at Mr. Bryan.

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"And yet Mr. Bryan is going about giving advice on how to stop or prevent a panic."

Where the \$20,000 Ad Fund Went.

The topics to be discussed at the dinner of the Kansas City Real Estate exchange at the Sexton hotel Friday night will be "Publicity and Prosperity." The publicity committee of the Manufacturers and Merchants' association will make a statement concerning the expenditure of the \$20,000 advertising fund. It will also explain how the benefit arising therefrom may be shared by all the real estate men.

## HETTY GREEN GOING DEEPER

THE BUTTERFLY LIFE APPARENTLY HAS WON THE RICH WOMAN.

A Beauty Doctor's Treatment at a Cost of \$300 for the Removal of Wrinkles Is the Latest Extravagance.

NEW YORK, May 28.—It came out to-day that Mrs. Hetty Green, besides living at the Plaza and giving dinner parties, has also begun to take treatments at a "beauty parlor" on Upper Fifth avenue. Mrs. Green has paid \$300 for a course of twenty-one treatments.

The particular parlor which got her money has long been a mecca for dowagers with waning charms. It is a luxurious place, with Nile green hangings and antique furniture. The reception room resembles a real drawing room. Behind it are the booths in which the process of annihilating wrinkles and generating a youthful tint is exercised. This was the appeal to which Mrs. Green succumbed.

THE CLERK DIDN'T RECOGNIZE HER. A few days ago, attired in black merino and with a most unobtrusive bonnet, she appeared in the doorway of the establishment. She was not recognized by the beauty parlor girls. One of the young women stepped forward and recited a triumphant tale of the destruction of wrinkles and the production of a pink complexion.

"What do you charge?" demanded Mrs. Green. She was told that \$300 was the price for twenty-one applications of the wonderful unguent which created unheard of rejuvenation. Mrs. Green gasped, but courageously made her investigation complete. She made countless demands for information and her skepticism never vanished. Finally she turned to the girl and made this astonishing statement:

"I believe I'll try this treatment." The girl, who had been taking her on the tour of inspection really out of kindness of heart, believing that she was a nightgown, rather than a woman of great wealth, had her turn for gasping.

"I'll pay for this now," said Mrs. Green, lifting her drooping head. From a little pocket in the undershirt she brought forth a robust roll of bills, peeled off six \$50 bills and handed them to the astonished assistant.

SHE LOST NO TIME.

She gave her name simply as "Mrs. Green," told where she was living and then declared herself in favor of immediate treatment. She was taken to one of the little joggles in the rear. Her face was steamed until she writhed under the excessive heat. Then the black unguent, which is madame's gold mine, was spread on her face in generous layers and she was abandoned to her thoughts and told to relax her muscles.

After twenty minutes the demonstrator returned to her. The face covering was removed with scented oils, and she was invited to inspect the result in a mirror.

Since then Mrs. Green has had five more treatments and is to undergo fifteen more. She is also dressing with due regard to the conventions; she has provided herself with additional snow-white hair, arranged in a modish coiffure, and her gowns, although simple, follow closely the directorate fashion now in general favor.

One of Mrs. Green's nice guests at her Tuesday night dinner said she resembled an Eighteenth century marquise. This comment pleased her immensely.

Too Swift for Him.

Mrs. Stubb—Gracious, John! We never will get through with this housecleaning. Why, you have only moved five pictures in the last fifteen minutes.

Mr. Stubb—Well, great Pluto, Maria, I'm no moving-picture machine.

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## SIX WEEKS IN LEAVENWORTH

A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR THE KANSAS PLAN.

That It Has Proved Thoroughly Practical the Commissioners Agree—Many Things Accomplished Efficiently Within a Short Time.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., May 28.—In what was formerly called the council chamber in the old city hall here is a handsome long table—a regular directors' table, such as you might find in a well appointed bank. It is the gift of Omar Abernathy, head of the Abernathy Furniture company, and commissioner of parks and public property, to the board of directors of the corporation of Leavenworth.

In a way that plain, solid, business-like, symbolizes the new order in the town.

About it every Tuesday night sit the five commissioners who are making over the city government.

IT'S PAIN BUSINESS. There are no speeches, no fireworks, no playing to the galleries. A commissioner explains that he has figured a good saving in street cleaning from the use of a flushing machine and he thinks the town ought to have one.

"Go ahead," the other commissioners say in effect, and there you are. Of course, there is slightly more formality than that, for ordinances and resolutions must be voted on formally and they cannot be finally adopted on the day they are introduced. But the plan is working smoothly without hitches or delays.

The Kansas commission government law is different from some others. How does the Kansas plan work? And does it produce results?

These are the questions that naturally suggest themselves to any investigator in the first city in which the Kansas plan is on trial. After talking with business men and officials you are convinced if the question of how it works were put to Leavenworth as a whole, the answer would come back in one word:

"Bully!"

WHAT IT HAS MEANT. In figures, according to Mayor Crancer, the saving has been at the rate of \$5,000 a month—a saving of 30 per cent. But at the reduced revenue the commission is providing what the town did not have before—efficient government.

"I've heard about this talk of our plan not being so good as some others," said O. P. Lambert, president of the Greater Leavenworth club and commissioner of water works and street lighting, "but I don't see the practical difficulties. We haven't found them yet. We certainly can get things done and with responsibility centered the way it is I can't see that a grafter would have much chance to steal. The Kansas plan is all right."

After all, the great test is experience and that is what Leavenworth is proving an object lesson to the rest of the state.

A DO-THINGS PLAN. Henry C. Knipe, commissioner of streets and public improvements, aggressive and energetic, was stopped on the street by a friend.

"Here's a man looking up the commission form of government," the friend said, "Can you give him any specific instance of efficiency from it?"

"Well," said Mr. Knipe, "he might be interested in what I've been doing this afternoon. There are half a dozen grade crossings around here, where the planking is worn out. It would cost \$200 or \$300 to fix each one. The council had been trying to get 'em fixed for several years. I drove around this afternoon, jacked up the railroad people and showed 'em what I wanted done. They said they'd get busy right away, and they will. Where would we have been if we had had to refer the thing to a council committee?"

SOME OF THE SAVINGS. "Where are you making your savings?" "Everywhere. The city engineer's office is in my department. I found we could cut the cost of running it nearly in two by using business methods. Besides, we are advertising for bids on all stuff used by the city. Save us money? I should say it does. We're getting cement at \$1.80 a barrel that was costing \$2.60 before. We are saving twenty-two cents a cubic yard on rock.

"This is a plan you can't help getting results from. The people who were sore when we started are with us now."

Here was a man who was an enthusiast in his work.

"How did you get the assignment to this department?" he was asked.

HOW WORK WAS ASSIGNED. "It was simple enough," he answered. "The commission assigns its members. Well, Mr. Crancer was elected as mayor and that put him in charge of the fire and police departments. Mr. Doege was city treasurer, so he naturally was assigned to the department of finance. Mr. Abernathy runs around a good deal in his motor car, so we thought he would be interested in clean streets. Mr. Lambert expected to have a lot of outside work as president of the Greater Leavenworth club, and he thought he would be kept busy enough with street lighting. I am in the transfer business, so I'm on the streets a good deal, and so they turned over street paving, culverts and public improvements to me.

"It's a mighty interesting job. I believe we all are as much interested in our work for the town as we are in our private business. We know if we make a record people will know who's done it and they'll appreciate it."

IN CLEANING THE STREETS. One notable thing that the commission has done is to clean the streets.

"Before the council government collapsed," said Mr. Abernathy, who is in charge of street cleaning, "it was spending about \$2,500 a month. The methods were wasteful and the men didn't work. We are spending about \$330 now. But I expect to bring that up to about \$600 when we get the new flushing machine. We can clean the streets better for \$600 than they were being cleaned for \$2,500."

"What are you doing about milk inspection?"

"I've got the ordinances from various towns and looked them over. The new Kansas City ordinance impresses me very favorably. I expect to get it in shape to bring before the board next week. That's one beauty of our system. We can do in a week what a council would fritter away months in making a start at."

As systematic business men the commissioners were outraged at the loose system of accounts they found in vogue. The bookkeeping was overhauled and modernized. It was found that the laxness had occasionally led to payment of duplicate bills. Now the written order must come back attached to the bill before it is paid.

THE THINGS SO FAR DONE. To sum up, then, under six weeks of commission government here:

Streets are cleaned. Loose carts are being looked after promptly and efficiently.

The police force has been reorganized on a non-political basis.

The streets are lighted at public expense—not by private subscription.

A new system of bookkeeping has been introduced.

A saving in expenses of about \$8,000 a month has been effected.

A new spirit has gone into the town, growing out of confidence in the new government which has already taken material shape in increased business and advancing prices of real estate.

All of which has resulted from the overthrow of a system of government that prevented action and the substitution for it of a plan which makes possible civic efficiency.

A BENEFIT FOR MISS CATRON.

The Popular Contralto to Sing To-Night in One of the Churches.

Miss Mattie Lou Catron, one of Kansas City's leading choir and concert singers, will be given a benefit in the Independent Boulevard Christian church to-night. Miss Catron expects to go East soon for



MISS MATTIE LOU CATRON, CONTRALTO.

study. To-night she will have the assistance of Mrs. W. T. Johnson and Mrs. E. C. White, pianists; Miss Edna Forsythe and Miss Alice Bradley, sopranos; Hans C. Feil, organist, and the Mendelssohn male quartet.

A Musical by Mrs. Sully Oslier. Miss Mayme Landis will entertain to-night for Mrs. Sully Oslier, with a musical in her home, 3710 Troost avenue.

Mrs. D. V. Rieger, a pupil of Madame Marchesi, is the teacher of Mrs. Oslier. Miss Myrtle Jackson, who studied two years with Godowsky and three years with Leschetizky, will be the assisting pianist. Miss Maud Kirk Smith, violinist, and Miss Lillian Smith, flute, will share in the programme.

KING SAW AN AIRSHIP FLIGHT.

M. De la Grange, a Frenchman, flew six miles in Rome.

LONDON, May 28.—M. De la Grange, the French aeroplanist, in a special message telegraphed to London from Rome to-day, says:

As a result of a splendid experiment with my aeroplane early this morning before the king of Italy I beat all my former records. I flew five and a half times the distance of the last flight, and at a distance of about ten kilometers (more than six miles).

My new apparatus, consisting of two vertical surfaces placed in the front of the aeroplane and intended to lessen the tendency to keel over during the turning movements, worked admirably despite the slight wind. The king and queen of Italy arrived on the spot twenty minutes before I did, and King Victor Emmanuel spent the time of waiting in attentively studying the machine.

My first flight lasted for four minutes and was stopped because of a lack of petrol.

With a fresh supply of petrol I made a second flight, which lasted nine minutes and twelve seconds. In this, which also was ended for lack of petrol, six miles were covered at a speed of forty miles an hour.

His Majesty congratulated me.

M. De la Grange will repeat his test in public to-morrow.

UNITED PRESBYTERIANS BUSY.

The Preliminaries Have Been Finished and Business Matters Are Up.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 28.—With the election last night of the new moderator, the Rev. Dr. James G. Carson, of the Xenia, O., theological seminary, and the announcement that \$1,280,000 had been raised during the year as a free will offering, the first business session of the general conference and semi-centennial celebration of the United Presbyterian church began here to-day.

The balance of the morning session was occupied by addresses by the Rev. S. W. McEachron, "The United Presbyterian Church East of the Mississippi," and the Rev. Dr. A. W. Jamison, who spoke on "The United Presbyterian Church West of the Mississippi."

FOR CANDIDATES 8 MORE DAYS.

The County Clerk Expects a Rush of Declarations From Now On.

As June 5 approaches, the expiration of the time when candidates may file for the primaries in August, the number of office seekers increases. The county clerk expects a rush this week. These additional candidates have filed their declarations in the county clerk's office:

Inaac B. Kimbrell, Republican, prosecuting attorney.

Virgil Conkling, Democrat, prosecuting attorney.

George A. Lafayette, Socialist, prosecuting attorney.

Dr. William A. Bonniwell, Prohibitionist, coroner.

Fred H. Ream, Prohibitionist, representative in the Fourth district.

THE TENNESSEE NEARING PORT.

Repairs to the Chester Completed—The Steamer to Be Made Monday.

The steamer Tennessee passed Lexington at 4:40 this morning. It is expected to reach here late this afternoon. The boat will start on the return trip to St. Louis late to-morrow afternoon.

The repairs on the Chester have been completed at St. Louis and it will leave there probably Monday evening. Captain W. L. Thompson will transfer to the Chester and another man will be placed on the Tennessee.

Speeches and Music at Central.

The last regular assembly hall meeting at Central High school for this year will be held at 10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning. This programme has been announced:

Recitation, "An Easter With Parents"..... Essay, "An International Ideal".....

Music, "The Nightingale"..... "To a Wild Rose".....

Oration, "The Mission of Our Heroes"..... Recitation, "The Soul of the Violin".....

Herbert Woods.

Death of Mrs. Hiram Miller.

Mrs. Matilda D. Miller, 65 years old, the wife of Hiram Miller, a bookkeeper, died this morning at her home, 2210 East Twenty-first street. She had lived here twenty-three years. Two daughters and a son are living. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at the Holy Name church. Burial will be in Mount St. Mary's cemetery.

The Funeral of Eli C. Baker.

Funeral services for Eli C. Baker, who died yesterday, will be held from the residence, 2018 East Thirty-fifth street, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. For twenty-five years Mr. Baker was a resident of Kansas City, Kas. He was a live stock dealer. Burial will be in Mount Washington cemetery.

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## LIFE IN PRISON FOR KANSAN

AN INDEPENDENCE JURY CONVICTED MARK KILLION IN TEN MINUTES.

The Slayer Shot and Beat a Caney, Kan., Officer to Death When the Latter Raided His Gambling Hall—A Plea of Self-Defense.

INDEPENDENCE, Kas., May 28.—Mark Killion was declared guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury last night. The jury took only ten minutes to agree and the vote was unanimous on the first ballot for conviction.

The crime for which Killion stands convicted was the killing of an officer, his victim was William G. Garr, night watchman of Caney City, and the murder was committed on the night of April 14. Killion had the reputation of being a desperado, and, while on the stand in his own behalf yesterday, he admitted that for ten years he had been the proprietor of joints and gambling rooms in and around Caney. He also admitted numberless arrests on various charges of assault and illegal whiskey selling. On the afternoon of April 14 Officer Garr raided a poker room in Caney, believed to have been run by Killion.

Killion was drinking that day and made threats that he would have to kill a marshal or so. At 10 o'clock that night, when Garr was on duty, Killion called him out of a restaurant, and, after calling him a liar and accusing the officer of bounding him, shot him four times. The officer returned his fire but did not hit Killion.

As Garr fell to the sidewalk Killion sprang upon him, cursing him and clubbing him on the head with his revolver. Killion then took the officer's club and star and threw them into the street.

Later a mob surrounded Killion's house and threatened to blow it up with dynamite if he did not come out. He was later arrested in a peaceable manner. His trial began Monday morning and the case went to the jury at 11 o'clock last night. Killion put up a plea of self-defense, asserting that Garr fired the first shot.

'COMMENCEMENT' AT THE DEPOT

The College Students Are on the Way Home Now.

The "commencement" season has begun at the Union depot. Mortar board caps, "rah-rah" college clothes and military uniforms are most in evidence there now. The colleges are "letting out" and the pupils are going home.

"We call it the 'commencement season' because we matriculate them in on one train and graduate them out on another," E. J. Sanford, the superintendent, said.

A. E. STILWELL TO EUROPE.

Later E. Dickinson Will Join the President of the Orient Abroad.

A. E. Stilwell, president of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad company, sailed from New York on the Lusitania yesterday. He will spend a week or two in London and will then go to Switzerland for several weeks. He will return in September. He will be joined later by E. Dickinson, vice president and general manager of the Orient.

A Declamatory Contest at Westport.

The annual declamatory contest for students of Westport High school will be to-morrow night in the school assembly room.



Some Piano dealers give Planos away (in their advertisements). In other words they throw money away. We cannot afford to do that—but we can afford to sell you a good Piano for less money than any other dealer, because most of the Planos we sell come from our own factory—which saves you the dealer's profit.

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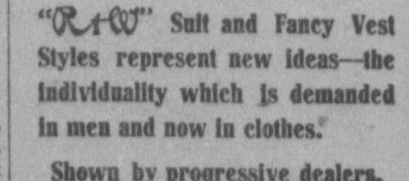
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Then you can call at your leisure to have your measure taken—for a

—made-to-order "Just like father's"

—of same all wool materials used in our men's made-to-order \$17.50 suits

Any color or pattern desired.

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It is simply impossible to bake beans at home, and bake them as they should be baked. You lack the facilities.

Home-baked beans are heavy and hard to digest, because of insufficient heat. You fail to break down their fibre.

Let us bake for you. We bake in live steam, and our ovens are heated to 245 degrees. The result is, our beans are digestible.

That nutty flavor and that sparkling zest are found in Van Camp's alone

The nutty flavor comes from using only the plumpest, ripest beans. It is also due to baking without bursting.

The piquant tang comes from vine-ripened tomatoes. Our sauce costs us five times what some sauce is sold for.

The delicious blend comes from baking the beans, the tomato sauce and the pork for 90 minutes together.

Van Camp's pork and beans baked with tomato sauce

Baking beans at home is a bother. It takes too much time. That is why you don't serve them frequently.

Van Camp's are always ready. Put the can in hot water, then open, and you have a delicious meal steaming hot.

You will eat more beans when you know Van Camp's. First, because they're convenient. Second, because they're so good.

Beans are 84 per cent nutriment; yet see how many you get for ten cents

Beans and meat have about the same food value, but look at the difference in cost. Suppose your people ate beans once a day—think what you would save.

Why not tempt them with beans which are as good as beans can be? Then note how soon they ask for more.

They will like Van Camp's better than meat.

10, 15 and 20¢ per can.

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## FOR NEW OKLAHOMA RATES

## CONFERENCE OF RAILROAD AND STATE OFFICIALS HERE TO-DAY.

The New Commonwealth Drops Anti-Merger Proceedings Against the Rock Island to Return for a Promised Readjustment of Schedules.

Reduced interstate rates on freight to and from Oklahoma is the purpose of a conference of executive officials of railroads operating in Oklahoma and Charles West, attorney general, and other state officials of Oklahoma at the Hotel Baltimore to-day.

Three weeks ago the Oklahoma officials obtained from R. A. Jackson, vice president and general solicitor of the Rock Island-Frisco group of railroads, an agreement by which interstate Oklahoma rates on lumber, live stock and milled products would be readjusted on a fair basis. In view of this agreement, Charles West, attorney general, decided to call off the threatened suits against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and the St. Louis & San Francisco to dissolve the alleged unlawful merger of the two systems.

A RECEIVERSHIP WAS THREATENED. About two years ago the federal government began to gather evidence in Oklahoma to attack this merger. Records relating to the charters of these companies were taken from the office of the territorial secretary and the transcripts forwarded to the United States Attorney General in Washington. The state officials had access to this evidence and last January the Rock Island officials were notified by the state attorney general that an application would be made to place the company in the hands of a receiver unless the merger was dissolved.

The attorney general, supported by Governor Haskell, took the position that the community of interests maintained by the Rock Island, Chicago & Frisco systems should be broken. At a conference held in Guthrie, March 30, attended by B. L. Winnick, president, and W. B. Biddle, vice president of the Rock Island, an agreement was reached by which the interstate rates would be adjusted if the proposed anti-merger proceedings were dropped. A conference was arranged to be held in Kansas City where a schedule of the readjusted rates would be discussed. It is this conference that is being held to-day.

THE PERSONNEL OF THE CONFERENCE. The railroad officials in attendance include B. L. Winnick, president; R. A. Jackson, first vice president; W. B. Biddle, vice president, and E. C. Lindley, general attorney, of the Rock Island system; J. R. Kootz, general freight agent of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe at Topeka; William Bushnell, president of the Fort Smith & Western railroad; W. B. Brocrose, general freight agent of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas; W. F. Evans, general solicitor of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad; W. B. Knight, assistant freight traffic manager of the Missouri Pacific; and T. A. Wray, rate clerk for the St. Louis & San Francisco. Mr. Bushnell is from Fort Smith, Ark., and the other officials are from St. Louis, except Mr. Kootz, and the Rock Island officials, who are from Chicago.

The state officials from Oklahoma include Charles West, attorney, and two members of the corporation commission. C. N. Haskell, governor, will be here before the conference is ended.

## MORGAN BACK AT BRISTOW.

Editorials on Long From the Salina Man's Paper Quoted.

TOPEKA, May 28.—W. Y. Morgan returned to Topeka this morning. In the Star of last Sunday Mr. Morgan, in a signed article, said that Joseph L. Bristow, now a candidate for United States senator against Senator Long, was at a conference of some of Senator Long's friends in Newton in the fall of 1905; that the position of Long on proposed railroad rate legislation was discussed and that Mr. Bristow said that personally he believed that Long was right. In the Star of yesterday morning Bristow said that this statement by Morgan was false.

Now Mr. Morgan says that it is not necessary in order to prove Mr. Bristow's position to trust to recollection of personal conversation.

"A short time after that conversation at Newton," said Mr. Morgan, "Mr. Bristow wrote an editorial in his paper, the Salina Journal, of December 20, 1905, as follows:

"We believe that he (Long) will not disappoint his constituents, as has been apprehended by some, in the matter of railroad rate legislation, which is now pending before Congress. This shows that Mr. Bristow understood Senator Long's position and agreed with him. On December 22, Mr. Bristow further said in his paper:

"Senator Long, in his speech last night, at the Knute and Fork club banquet in Kansas City, discussed in a very clear and intelligent way the proposed railroad rate legislation, now before Congress. His conclusions were sound and will be satisfactory to the people of this state. There has been quite a good deal of criticism of Long's position in his Newton and Wichita speeches. This has been because he has not been making his position clearly understood."

"I might add," continued Mr. Morgan, "that many newspapers were at that time criticizing Long and were demanding that he declare in advance his position on this legislation. Mr. Bristow did not join in this clamor, but, as quoted in his editorial of December 22, believed that he (Long) was all right. There were several others at the Newton conference, but there is no need to draw them into the discussion because I believe this circumstantial evidence proves the point. The Newton conference was on November 10, and the editorials quoted were in the following months. This shows that Mr. Bristow's position was satisfied with it.

"Mr. Bristow never disagreed with Senator Long publicly or criticized him until this year, when he became a candidate for Long's job."

## RULES FOR RAILROAD CLERKS.

The Rock Island Tells Its Employees Not to Discuss Its Affairs.

CHICAGO, May 28.—These rules have been laid down for the guidance of its clerks:

All employees must be in the office at 8:30 a. m.

Smoking is not allowed in office hours.

Information concerning the company's affairs must not be given to persons other than the officials or employees of the company.

Employees will be expected to work nights at the discretion of the chief clerk, when super checks will be furnished.

Office records and other property must not be taken from the office.

Stationary and other supplies are provided for the requirements of the company's business and are not for the personal use of the employees.

A Newton, Kas., Pioneer Dead.

NEWTON, KAS., May 28.—Elias Wood, one of the early settlers of Harvey county, fell dead here this morning on the front porch of his home. He had come to Harvey county in 1874 and established the first flour mill in Newton. He was 85 years old and had been married sixty-two years. His aged widow survives him. Of his nine children only three are living.

## A VISIT LED TO HIS ARREST.

Detectives Were Watching for C. A. Phoenix, Accused of a Stabbing.

C. A. Phoenix, who is accused of stabbing Louis McLaughlin in Kansas City, Kas., early Sunday morning, went to 554 South Fourth street early to-day to see his little daughter. When he left the house four detectives arrested him after a chase of seven blocks. McLaughlin is at St. Margaret's hospital. He will recover.

## NO WOOD PULP TARIFF CUT.

The House Committee Report Is Against the Newspaper Men.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The special committee of six members of the House appointed upon complaint of the American Newspaper Publishers' association to investigate the wood pulp and print paper situation in relation to the tariff and with regard to an alleged conspiracy in restraint of trade, submitted to-day a majority and a minority report.

The majority report, which is signed by Representative Mann of Illinois, Representative Miller of Kansas, Representative Stafford of Wisconsin and Representative Bannion of Ohio, is a preliminary report and recommends that no legislation affecting wood pulp and print paper be enacted until the committee has further investigated and reported.

The minority report, which is signed by Representative Sims of Tennessee and Representative Ryan of New York, recommends the passage of the Stevens bill to place wood pulp and print paper on the free list.

The majority report is summed up in the following words:

"As the present price of paper would not to any considerable degree be immediately affected by the repeal of the tariff, and as the passage of the Stevens bill in its present form might spell ruin to the paper industry and ruinously high prices for paper in the near future, your committee believes it the part of wisdom before making recommendations for positive legislation to await until its investigation has been completed and thoroughly digested."

## MORE WAR ON RACE GAMBLING.

Louisiana's New Governor Opens His Fight on the Betting Ring.

NEW ORLEANS, May 28.—Governor Jared Young Sanders, the newly inaugurated executive of Louisiana, publicly says that the fight on the race tracks of his state is the result of flagrant and criminal conduct in the conducting of the races and that his fight on the tracks is to be continued without reference to the desire of the jockey clubs to have restrictions take the place of the wave for abolishing the sport wherever attended by gambling.

Some time since Governor Sanders announced that he would follow the example of Governor Hughes of New York in a fight on the tracks.

In his message Governor Sanders refers to this matter as follows:

"The manner and mode of conducting race tracks in and around New Orleans and the flagrant gambling carried on at the tracks has so severely aroused the moral sense of the people against it, that I will earnestly urge upon the general assembly the enactment of legislation prohibiting and penalizing gambling on horse racing. All forms of gambling are bad and have no place in the economical development of the state."

## TWO-CENT SUIT UP IN JUNE.

The State's Demurrer Will Be Heard in Leavenworth, It Is Announced.

TOPEKA, May 28.—The two-cent passenger fare suit of the railroads against the board of railroad commissioners is to come up June 1, before Judge John C. Pollock in the United States court in Leavenworth. The attorneys for the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe announced to-day that the demurrer filed by the state to the petition of the railroads would be argued at that time.

When the board of railroad commissioners made the order for the two-cent fare it was with the understanding that the rate should remain effective until the suits in Nebraska were decided. Then the railroads went into the courts and asked that the rate be knocked out because it was unreasonable. The state filed a demurrer to this petition on the ground that the reasonableness of the rate was not under consideration and had no place in the suit.

## NOW A FLOOD IN IOWA.

The Des Moines River Is Making Trouble Near the City of Boone.

BOONE, IA., May 28.—The Des Moines river valley in the vicinity of the Moingona bridge is submerged. A dozen families living there were forced to leave their homes yesterday and seek safety on the hills. Many acres of corn and garden truck are already totally ruined. A heavy rain fell last night and heavy rains are reported from up the river. The river gauge measured fifteen feet above normal and the waters are still rising.

STORX CTRY., IA., May 28.—Perry creek, which flows through this city, became a torrent to-day as the result of heavy rains. Many families, marooned in their homes, had to be removed on rafts or carried out through the water. Many cows and horses perished. Several bridges were washed out. The financial loss is heavy.

## AIRING A CHURCH QUARREL.

Southern Presbyterians Heaving Trouble Between Texas Presbytery and Synod.

GREENSBORO, N. C., May 28.—In the course of to-day's session of the general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian church the case of the presbytery of Eastern Texas against the synod of Texas was resumed. Argument on behalf of the presbytery was presented by the Rev. J. H. Lacy and the Rev. J. G. Aldrich. Argument for the synod was opened by the Rev. J. P. Robertson and he had not concluded up to this afternoon.

The case is an appeal of the presbytery of Eastern Texas from the action of the synod. The presbytery refused to grant a petition from the church at Beaumont, Tex., to dissolve the relation of its pastor, the Rev. F. B. Robbins. The matter was taken to the synod, which ordered the pastoral relation dissolved. Now the assembly is asked to sustain the presbytery and reverse the synod.

## STABS HIS BROTHER IN QUARREL.

An Edgerton, Mo., Man May Die as Result of Wound in Neck.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., May 28.—Dave and John Gwinn, farmers of near Edgerton, Mo., quarreled yesterday and Dave stabbed John in the throat with a pocket knife. The wound may prove fatal.

## ENGINEERS RE-ELECT THEIR GRAND CHIEF.

COLUMBUS, O., May 28.—Balloting on the officers of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers began to-day. Grand Chief W. S. Stone of Cleveland was re-elected, there being no opposition to him.

## NO DELAY IN THE SENATE

THE UPPER HOUSE MINORITY DECIDES NOT TO FILIBUSTER.

It Will Be Better Politics, It Was Decided at a Conference, to Confine Themselves to Voting and Speaking Against the Currency Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Fifteen Democratic senators, all that remain in the city, conferred for one and a half hours to-day and argued that they would stand together in opposition to the Aldrich-Vreeland compromise currency bill. Many of them will speak against the passage of the bill, but there was nothing to indicate that the opposition would take the form of a filibuster.

The absence of such an inclination was best illustrated by the prediction after the conference that "Congress probably will be able to adjourn to-morrow, certainly not later than Saturday." This opinion was expressed by several Democrats.

Senator LaFollette's position was considered at the conference, and the question arose as to whether it would be advisable to stand by him if he should be disposed to prolong his fight against the adoption of the conference report on the bill. The discussion did not result in a decision, but the sentiment appeared to be against that course. Most of the Democrats seemed to be of the opinion that, from a political point of view, it would be best for the Democrats to register merely their objections to the bill, such as care to do so making speeches against it, and then vote as a unit.

Of course, it cannot be said positively that all of the Democrats will vote against the bill as the session was a conference and not a caucus and therefore there could be no decision of a binding nature, or instructions given. Practically all of the Democrats present took part in the discussion. The senators present were Culberson, Teller, Bacon, Bankhead, Johnston, Simmons, Clay, Gary, Taylor, Overman, Frazier, Newlands, Owen, Gore and McLaughlin.

## NOTED WOMAN LECTURER HERE.

Christian Science Churches in Kansas City Are Hearing Mrs. S. H. Mims.

A series of lectures are being delivered in the Christian Science churches here by a noted Southern woman, Mrs. Sue Harper Mims, wife of Major Mims of Atlanta, Ga. In their home in the "peach tree circle" of Atlanta they entertained Grover Cleveland when he was President. Mrs. Mims was an invalid twenty years, but has regained her health. She is of advanced years. Her hair is snowy white.

Mrs. Mims has been engaged in Christian Science evangelistic work twenty years and in the last seven years she has lectured from many platforms.

## SUES WHEN BITTEN BY A DOG.

Mrs. Alfred Vanderbilt's Mother Defendant in Action for Damages.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 28.—The United States court here is hearing the suit of Miss Hilda Rika Oberg against Mrs. Francis C. French, brought to recover \$10,000 for injuries alleged to have been sustained by the plaintiff by reason of an attack by a large dog, the property of the defendant. Mrs. French is the mother of Elsie French Vanderbilt, who recently secured a divorce from Alfred G. Vanderbilt.

## THE KANSAS CITY, KAS., LIBRARY TO CLOSE.

The public library and the offices of the board of education in Kansas City, Kas., will be closed Saturday, Decoration day.

## TO GRADUATE 234 THERE.

A Record Number of 8-A Pupils in Kansas City, Kas., This Year.

Two hundred and thirty-four pupils of the grade schools in Kansas City, Kas.—107 boys and 127 girls—will be graduated into the high schools this week. This will be the largest number of 8-A graduates in the history of the schools of Kansas City, Kas. The graduates are:

Abbott—Irene Brummel, Sidney Patton, Ivy Stephenson, Kieth Carson, Francis Herbert, Louis Gloyne, Dale Spencer, Carrie Hiltz, Fred Foster, Claude Marshall, Harris Boyd, Helen Venard, Albert Hendrickson, Jennie Brown, Archie Robertson, Edward Venard, Orville Harriott, Vera E. Colburn.

Armourdale—James L. Hunt, John Little, Wesley W. Bauer, Lillian M. Niswonger, Emma Flint, Joseph H. Speck, Paul A. Tanczyk, Fleta F. Griffith, Edith R. Hall, Frederick W. Detmer, Vera E. Colburn.

Central—Stanley Beatty, Ruby Carroll, Perry Evans, Clair Gibbons, Mae E. Green, Edna B. Gruner, Hugo Halquist, Julia Hay, Ethel M. Irvine, Edith E. Johnson, Edith Larson, Ruth F. Lechner, Anna M. Luff, Zora Melusich, Gladys Pettigrew, Martinette Rawlins, May Rubin, Bertha E. Sanderlin, Clarence Strohl, Edith A. Weber, G. Marion Wilson, Edith H. Wilson, Leo A. Saunders.

Douglas—Eather Leonard, Beatrice Cole, Jesse Jackson, Orpheus Scott, Annie Williams, Lucie Daniels, Isabella Williams, Van Perkins, Maude Cotton, Myrtle Hall, Edith Rollins, Jesse Taylor, Mabel Rollins, Josie Drake, Cullens Graves, Willie Bishop.

Everett—Wayne Dolores Parker, Maurice Kulis, Pearl D. Laird, Joe Harper, Thomas K. Broadhead, Wilber Brown, Ike Roseblum, Ella Zimmerman, Mildred Lennett, Marjory Simson, Louise Greenman, Harold Williams, Georgia Silvey, W. Frank Hutchings, Ralph L. Zane, Meta V. Sheaff, Frances G. Porter, William A. Porter, William H. Kainer, Oliver Hargart, Earl Laird, William H. Mainett, Walter Taylor, James Garnier, Hugh Dudley, Willis Griswold, Wilbur Ralmer, Ashley Hutchings, Eric Johnson, Floyd Eather, Leonard Beatrice Cole, Jesse Jackson, Orpheus Scott, Annie Williams, Lucie Daniels, Isabella Williams, Van Perkins, Maude Cotton, Myrtle Hall, Edith Rollins, Jesse Taylor, Mabel Rollins, Josie Drake, Cullens Graves, Willie Bishop.

Haythorne—Stella Bedell, Elizabeth Brown, Genevieve Pomiriz, Charlotte Kimball, Laura Maple, Minnie Maple, Grace McCoy, George Mulliken, Florence Key, Ploy Outman, Archie Quisenberry, Ruth Reiman, Bessie Vandevanter, Dower Weasley, Dottie Wilson.

Irvine—Frank Hubbard, Charles Bering, John Kennedy, Herman Barts, Marguerite Easley, Ralph Larson, Minnie McGuire, Clyde Baker, Algot Hedstrom, Hazel Kruse.

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From the Westminster Gazette.

Városliget, the famous town park of Budapest, has two special features, both of them of great interest. The first is the Flower Garden—an example of artistic gardening—and the second is the Royal Museum of Agriculture, situated on Szechenyi island and guarded by the beautiful park lake. This unique museum is beyond doubt the finest institution of its kind in the world, and even the Lyngby museum in Denmark is far inferior both in the variety and scientific arrangement of its exhibits. The encouragement which it has given to the development of agriculture and its allied industries cannot be exaggerated. Designed by the Hungarian, Alpar, it represents the various styles of architecture in Hungary, from the Middle Ages down to modern times—the most interesting group being perhaps the Gothic imitation of Valda-Hunyad castle. This, together with the Renaissance and Roman wings, constitutes a monumental and imposing pile of buildings.

Founded in 1896, the museum was not established on Szechenyi island until the following year, and then only in temporary buildings, which proved quite inadequate for this special purpose. A government grant of about \$25,000 was made in 1900 for a new museum, but the present magnificent edifice of marble and stone was not finally completed until last year. In many respects the collections, gathered under the supervision of Councilor Francis de Saorossy Kapeller and Dr. Pakert, are almost as perfect as they can be made, and their educative effect upon the farmers and agriculturists of the country is undoubted.

MODELS OF ALL PRODUCTS OF THE SOIL.

The first thing that strikes the average visitor is the extraordinary use that has been made of the windows. Dispositive photographs of farms, cottages, orchards, vineyards and animals, illustrating agriculture in every part of Hungary, occupy the lower divisions of each window. In a few moments it is possible to get an idea from these photographs which it would be difficult to obtain by many days of sightseeing, and the scientific arrangement adds greatly to their value from the point of view of the student. Every section of the exhibition displays evidence of the thought and care which have been lavished upon it by Dr. Pakert, who is the director of the museum. Dr. Pakert has spent considerable periods, both in America and in Canada, for the express purpose of studying agriculture, and he has an accurate and complete knowledge of the agricultural problems not only of his own country, but also of the far West. His aim has been to show the Hungarian farmer how to obtain the best results not only in the breeding of horses and cattle, but also in every department of agriculture and viticulture. Beginning with the collection of maps, graphs and models which were exhibited at the Hungarian Millennium exhibition of 1896, he has gradually added to it, until now it is comprehensive of everything that Hungary produces from the soil and of many industries which are subsidiary. These models and maps are actually made in the workshops of the museum, and are exact representations of the cattle and horses, of the flowers and fruit, vegetables and cereals of the country. In addition to these everything likely to retard or to quicken the growth of fruit flowers and cereals is illustrated both in pictures and models. All the injurious insects and destructive birds and animals are represented in each department, and practical instruction is given to the farmer or horticulturist to enable him to deal with these unwelcome visitors. The agricultural sections are housed in the beautiful halls of the Renaissance building; the forestry, fishing and game in the Gothic castle of Valda-Hunyad; while in the Roman building are the library, laboratories and auditorium.

A HALL DEVOTED TO WHEAT.

Hungary's chief agricultural products are wheat and wheat flour, horses and wine, though she also exports cattle, hogs, eggs, wool, timber and a large quantity of fruit of the first quality. Still, it is to wheat that Hungary owes her supremacy in agriculture. All the so-called Austrian flour and wheat is Hungarian, and it is from her we obtain the fine-quality breads which are now consumed in every capital of Europe. The flour mills upon the Buda side of the River Danube are the largest in Europe, and will compare in size with the mammoth mills of the United States. Naturally, therefore, the wheat hall is of great importance, and in it we find a display of samples collected by the Minister of Agriculture from fifty-three different parts of Hungary for ten successive years. Both wheat and soil have been carefully analyzed, and the results are presented with every sample exhibited. Not only so, but specimens of wheat from other countries are shown side by side, so that a rapid comparison may be made. No less than 59,93 per cent of the whole arable area in Hungary is wheat.

THE LIVE STOCK DEPARTMENT.

To many, no doubt, the most interesting of the whole exhibition would be the section devoted to the display of horses and cattle. Here we can find pictures illustrative of the most famous animals painted by Adam and Blas; also beautiful and artistic models of horses made by the sculptors Vastagh and Zala; and a great variety of colored photographs dealing with other domestic animals. Not far from the Royal hall, in which these exhibits are placed, is a large court reserved for an exhibition of the state farm of Godollo, the home of the Hungarian state studs. These stud farms send out year by year an increasing number of animals to different parts of the country, with a view to improve the breed and to assist the poorer districts. The minister of agriculture also uses the crown stud farms for various other purposes; thus, he has organized a poultry farm, a state bee farm, and a state tree nursery. To those who are unable to visit these farms and study the methods that are being employed, the museum affords an excellent opportunity of seeing in miniature the various enterprises to which the state has set its hand and the conditions which prevail in the respective districts.

Wherever we turn we find valuable aids to some branch of agriculture, an allied industry; dairying, wine culture, agricultural schools and experiment farms, bee culture, silkworm breeding, forestry and fishing—all these are displayed before our eyes in such admirable and scientific fashion that even the tourist, though a fool, cannot err therein. He is bound to learn something that is of value; while the serious student, whether Magyar or foreigner, must greatly benefit by the many advantages offered to him.

## THE NEW MILKING MACHINE.

Steam Dairy Convenience Which Lightens Labor—Lessens Typhoid Danger.

From the Boston Post.

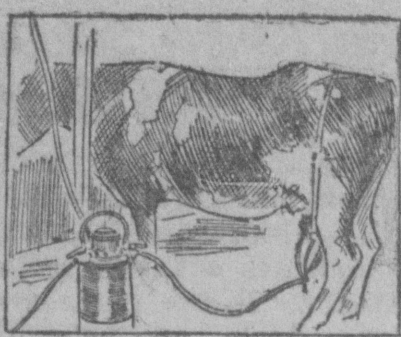
There will be no more typhoid fever epidemics, such as now prevail in some sections of Boston, if a recent invention lives up to the hopes of its originator.

Typhoid is said to have spread in Jamaica Plain by careless handling of milk.

Warren C. Jewett has invented a mechanical milker. Steam is substituted for human hands which need never touch the milk, and so the danger of contagion is avoided.

From time immemorial there have been experiments with milking machines, though very few ever resulted in any signal success.

Now Jewett claims to have a successful milking machine. It is run by steam. While the engineer calmly smokes his



THE MILKING MACHINE IN OPERATION.

pipe and listens to the chough-chon of the working steam, the yellow milk is being scientifically drawn from the cows with a rhythmic unison into the pails.

No longer will the weary farm boy have to rise in the wee small hours of early daylight and work until his arms are weary and his finger sore.

He has only to fill up the firebox in the steam boiler, get the milking machines into working order, and turn on the steam. Each machine milks two cows at the same time, and Mr. Jewett is using three machines at present.

In addition to the labor saving feature Mr. Jewett lays special stress on cleanliness in handling the milk, for no dirt can enter the machine.

Jewett's big farm fronts on Chester and Holden streets, outside the city of Worcester.

He is about 50 years of age and has taken active interest in municipal affairs since he was 22.

His farm to-day contains some 125 acres of land, all of which is tilled, and in addition to his dairy he carries on extensive produce raising.

He has 38 cows, mostly of Durham and Holstein grades, and the milking by hand would be a job of no small importance. But with the machines the work is quickly done.

Each machine milks two cows at once, and with three machines in operation six cows are milked at the same time. Less than an hour is needed to finish the work. The man handles the machines and his task is by no means arduous.

The operation is simple. A 3½ horsepower steam boiler is used, operated in a small engine house near the barn and with pipes to connect to the tie-up. Live steam forced through a valve with such force that a vacuum or suction is produced is the secret of the operation of the milking machine.

It could likewise be worked with a gasoline engine by using a suction pump, but Jewett thinks the steam arrangement is simpler.

Jewett is the son of Eben Jewett. He attended the Worcester common and high schools. He worked with his father after leaving school and remained there since, owning and running the farm in late years. He has developed the property until he has one of the most productive and profitable farms in that section.

Commerce of Hudson Bay Region.

From the Washington Herald.

"The utilization of Hudson bay for commerce seems near at hand. The recent movements in Canada have materially changed long standing theories about Northern conditions," said William Williams of Ottawa, who is interested in trade and commerce of Canada. "Regions which has been deemed of little value, because of the supposed cold of the climate, are being developed into prosperous farming communities. The suspicion that fur companies have held back immigration for their own selfish ends has been confirmed."

"The proposition is now to make Fort Churchill, on the west side of Hudson bay, a shipping point for grain and other products of that new country. The Canadian government has been studying conditions for a number of years. It has been found that there is safe navigation to Fort Churchill for three and a half to four months of each year, ending July 1."

"By building a few hundred miles of railroad connection can be made with established lines to the Southwest. A new outlet by way of Hudson bay will save freight rates to present shipping points. It will help to develop a country toward which the attention of settlers is already turning."

## AN ACTRESS NAMES TINY WOLF.

Heroine of Walter's Play Christens Little Bronx Baby With Croton Water.

From the New York Telegram.

Just at present no one is playing the title role in Eugene Walter's thrilling drama, "The Wolf," at the Lyric theater, but if all goes well and she doesn't contract pneumonia as a result of her somewhat trying experience in being publicly ducked at Bronx park, Ida Conquest will soon fill the part, and it is certain she will do it in a manner that will completely satisfy the most exacting of the critics.

To avoid confusion it should be stated at the outset that Ida is none other than a tiny 2-months-old gray wolf, whose presence at the zoo was recently discovered by the all seeing eye of Henry Edward Warner, accelerator of publicity for the Shubert productions. There was nothing to it after that but that the baby wolf must be christened, and so a big red touring car conveyed Miss Ida Conquest, who plays the heroine in "The Wolf," the playwright and the enterprising press agent to Bronx park, where the deed was done in the presence of a small but select group of newspaper men and photographer and zoo officials.

The christening took place in the yard of the zoo hospital, with Czar, the wicked Syrian bear who not long ago nearly killed one of his keepers, and several other bears and wild animals interested spectators from behind the stout bars of their temporary cages. All the members of the christening party gave the bears a wide berth, but Mr. Warner, during the preliminaries, got too close to the cage of two of the sacred Indian goats and one of the goats ate up his gloves, and apparently enjoyed the favor.

All alcoholic liquors being barred at Bronx park, and the aesthetic sensibilities of both playwright and press agent revolting at the idea of pop or root beer as a christening medium, it was finally decided to use a glass of Croton water for the baptismal purpose. When all was ready, Miss Conquest, looking charming and fresh as a daisy in a natty christening costume of blue and wearing a straw hat, poised the glass and received the baby wolf from Keeper Ferguson.

Flanked on the other side by the youthful author of "The Wolf," who acted as godfather to the infant, she dashed the glassful of water on the baby's head, interrupting a tiny howl midway, and saying in her best dramatic voice:

"I dub you Ida, and may you have many conquests."

Just then, as everybody prepared to cheer, a bedlam of howls from the grown-up wolves in another part of the park was let loose as if by a preconcerted signal. Messrs. Warner and Conquest, who had journeyed to the zoo several weeks ago especially to get the wolves to howl into a graphophone for them, but who had failed ignominiously and had to do their own howling, looked at each other in amazement.

"Gee," said Warner, "if we only had the phonograph here now!"

"Ah, if we but had!" ejaculated the playwright.

"Why," said Miss Conquest, rapturously, "wouldn't that be just splendid for that last curtain?"

Finally after Dr. Blair, the zoo veterinarian, had shown Miss Conquest the fine points of little Ida's teeth and the enterprising publicity man had arranged to secure the baby wolf for future performances of "The Wolf" at the Lyric, Miss Conquest gave her namesake a last hug and the christening party resought the red automobile and whirled back to the Rialto.

Early Day Local "Institution" Recalled.

W. E. Lewis in the New York Telegraph.

Speaking of hydrophobia, did you ever hear of a madstone? It is supposed to draw the poison out of the system and it looks as if it did. The madstone I saw was in Kansas City. It was a famous old stone and was owned by the proprietor of the Pacific house, which stood then—and perhaps still stands—at Fourth and Delaware streets. A man in Northwestern Missouri was bitten in the hand by a mad wolf and came hurriedly to the Pacific house, for treatment by the madstone. This stone was gray and porous and was first carefully cleaned in warm water. The wound on the man's hand also was cleaned and all the skin scraped away. The stone then was applied and after moving around a little fastened itself to the wound like a leech. It would have required some strength to remove it. The stone clung to the man's hand for more than an hour and changed from a gray to a dark green color. It then fell off the man's hand and was placed in a pan of warm milk. It gave a slightly greenish color to the milk and turned back to gray again. Then it was applied to the wound and clung to the hand for about twenty-five minutes, slightly changing color again. After it had been given another soaking in warm milk it was for the third time applied to the wound, but it did not cling to it. The owner said the stone drew the poison out and that it had done its work. The patient remained at the Pacific house for a week, during which time the wound on his hand healed. He never had hydrophobia.

Explained.

From the Baltimore American.

"Queer, wasn't it, that Samson's power should have been in his hair?"

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You think you can tell the difference between hearing grand-opera artists sing and hearing their beautiful voices on the Victor. But can you? In the opera-house corridor scene in "The Pit" at Ye Liberty Theatre, Oakland, Cal., the famous quartet from Rigoletto was sung by Caruso, Abbot, Homer and Scotti on the Victor, and the delighted audience thought they were listening to the singers themselves.

At Rector's, the noted Chicago restaurant, when some of the grand-opera stars sang, with piano accompaniment, the diners listened with rapt attention and craned their necks to get a glimpse of the singers. But it was a Victor.

In the rotunda of Wanamaker's famous Philadelphia store, the great pipe organ accompanied Melba on the Victor, and the people rushed from all directions to see the singer.

Even in the Victor laboratory, employees often imagine they are listening to a singer making a record while they really hear the Victor.

Why not hear the Victor for yourself? Any Victor dealer will gladly play any Victor Records you want to hear.

There is a Victor for every purse—\$10 to \$300. Victor Talking Machine Co., Camden, N. J. Berliner Gramophone Co., Montreal, Canadian Distributors.

## Pay Little Dress Swell A Mighty Offer TO-MORROW Our Big Bargain Friday of MEN'S TAILOR-MADE UNCLAIMED SUITS

\$10 WHY PAY MORE? 500,000

People that lost their jobs during the recent panic ordered and left a deposit on clothes from the best tailors in New York and Chicago and were unable to take them out. We picked up 500 more of these suits, made up this spring, of the latest cuts and colorings, browns, grays, London smokes, zebra stripes, olives, blue serges and those elegant black tibets.

ACTUALLY MADE for \$35 \$40 \$45 \$50 UNCLAIMED SUITS

\$10 We Can Fit You Corbett System 1119 MAIN ST. Open Until 10 o'clock Friday Night

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To Users of Blackburn's Castor-Oil Pills.

Changes Name, But Not Ingredients.

I have adopted a distinctive, coined name for my sweet, little pills. The name will be "Blackburn's Castor-Oil Pills," a Civilized Physic is what it means.

The ingredients are the same, and as the public have always known the names of the ingredients, they will not hesitate to ask for Blackburn's Castor-Oil Pills.

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A scientific opinion of your case will be of value to you. A CORRECT DIAGNOSIS always means a ready CURE.

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Caricula and Nervous Diseases, Bladder Troubles, Catarrhs, Gonorrhea, Blood Poison, Piles, Rheumatism, etc.

You cannot afford to miss this opportunity of receiving the benefit of our long experience and knowledge, unless you continue to suffer if you are afflicted with one of the above conditions. No person is too poor to receive our services, we are within the reach of all.

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Failed to destroy the eleven-inch Armor Plate in the Government test at Hampton Roads yesterday!!

Our Great Safe Deposit Vault is constructed of the same metal, FOURTEEN INCHES THICK!!

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## IF YOU'D FISH A FEW HOURS

SOME OF THE LAKES EASILY REACHED,  
WHERE THE SPORT IS GOOD.

For Five Cents One Can Go to Bales Lake and Catch Crappie, Perch, Catfish and Bass—Forest Lake, 18 Miles Out, Is an Attractive Place.

Where can I go for a day's fishing? Many busy men have asked themselves this question since the fishing season opened—men unable to get away from business longer than a day. About the first place that they think of is the Blue river. Unfortunately, however, the Blue, while an unusually pretty stream, is not inhabited by many fish. Market fishermen with nets operate at the mouth of the stream, gathering in most of the fish that try to enter the Blue from the Missouri river.

However, there are several lakes not far from Kansas City where good sport may be had. Most of them contain crappie, sun fish and an occasional bass.

TO BALE LAKE FOR 5 CENTS.  
It costs just a nickel to get to Bales lake, a six-acre body of water, five blocks east of the terminus of the Jackson avenue car line. A charge of 50 cents a day is made for the fishing privilege. There are some bass there and plenty of crappie, perch and catfish.

Forest lake, eighteen miles northwest, can be reached by buggy or motor car. Missouri Pacific trains stop at the lake side. A charge of \$1 a day is made for the fishing privilege. The blue gilt fishing there is said to be excellent.

HORSESHOE LAKE FIFTEEN MILES OUT.  
Trains stop at Horseshoe lake, fifteen miles out, for parties of five. This lake is ideal for "roughing it."

Down Independence way there are several lakes where fair fishing may be had. The lake at Fairmount park and the Crisp lakes near by afford better fishing than than they will later on. These lakes usually are over-fished before the summer is far advanced. The privilege at Fairmount costs 50 cents and at the Crisp lakes 25 cents.

McCoy's lake, one mile west of Independence, Dixon's lake, one and one-half miles east of Independence, and Hughes lake, one mile east of Independence, are pretty bodies of water affording fair sport, with crappie, sunfish and an occasional bass.

GOOD SPORT AT CAMPBELL'S LAKE.  
To reach Campbell's lake get off at Little Blue station on the Missouri Pacific. Because fewer anglers go there the fishing is better than at some of the other lakes. The Little Blue river is close at hand, too, where, with a hunk of liver or a can of worms, countless yellow "cats" may be landed. The privilege of fishing in this lake costs a quarter.

On the southern boundary of Swopce park is Anthony's lake, said to abound in perch and crappie. The privilege costs 50 cents.

A little further away from Kansas City, but still easy of access for a day's sport, are several lakes quite popular with anglers. Leonard's lake at Pleasant Hill, forty miles out on the Missouri Pacific, is noted for its crappie fishing. The railway makes a special rate for fishermen of \$1.20 the round trip. The fishing privilege costs 25 cents.

Bean lake, forty miles on the Burlington, is a resort now. There are hotels there and a fine lot of boats. Sugar lake is reached by the Burlington, forty miles out. Get off at Armour station. Blue gills are plentiful there.

FRESH MILK FOR CANAL ZONE.  
The Steamer Tugus Bearing Three Tons of the Dairy Product to the South.  
NEW YORK, May 28.—The steamer Tugus will carry to the canal zone three tons of fresh cows' milk in bulk, which will be refrigerated and served to the employees on the canal.

If the experiment is successful the government will probably arrange to have refrigerating plants on ships going to Colon so constructed as to carry still larger supplies.

## BAILEY, SR., VISITS THE JAIL.

Just Back From Jefferson City, Where He Asked a Pardon for His Son.

A man 76 years old, his hair and beard white with age, came to the county jail this morning and shook hands cordially with Al Healy, county marshal, and the deputies. He was J. M. Bailey, father of Edgar G. Bailey, a back driver who is serving a life sentence in the penitentiary for murdering Albert Ferguson, another back driver. The killing grew out of strike troubles. Bailey was sentenced to hang. Governor Folk commuted his sentence to life imprisonment.

"I go to see my son twice a year," Bailey's father said. "His mother and I live in Laporte City, Ia. She is too feeble to travel to Jefferson City. I am returning home after visiting my son for two weeks. He is now secretary to the superintendent of the prison shoe factory. The superintendent told me that my son was a model prisoner."

While in Jefferson City Mr. Bailey filed application for the pardon of his son.

## HAMLET ON TRIAL AT K. U.

Law Students Go to Shakespeare for a Murder Case.

LAWRENCE, KAS., May 28.—The jury in the case of the state of Kansas against Hamlet, charged with murder in the first degree, threatens to disagree. Hamlet has been on trial in the K. U. law school practice court for the last two days. As the medical students go down town and gather up dogs and cats to dissect for practical experiments, so the law students go to Shakespeare for a first-class murder. Hamlet makes frequent appearances in the K. U. practice court. Sometimes his defense is the brainstorm theory and a lot of alienists come to his rescue. Other times he makes a straight out and out denial and stands on the evidence.

The law students are given a view of the trial work of lawyers in these practice trials conducted by Prof. W. E. Higgins, whose whole work now is conducting trial courts.

## FAIRMOUNT LIGHTS WENT OUT.

But the Crowd Was Leaving, Anyway, When the Engine Broke Down.

The electric lights at Fairmount park went out suddenly about 11 o'clock last night. There had been an explosion caused by the blowing out of a cylinder head of the engine in the electric light plant of the park. Except for a few lights furnished from the Evanston substation of the Metropolitan park was left in darkness. As the crowd was not large, and the band concert had just closed, the accident did not occasion great inconvenience. The engine will be working again to-night.

## MISS PALMER'S BODY FOUND.

Funeral Services for the Launch Victim To-Day in Clarendon, Ark.

The body of Miss Bessie Palmer, who was one of the seven persons drowned in the White river, near Clarendon, Ark., May 19, has been recovered. The funeral services were held at Clarendon this afternoon. All the members of the family and a number of relatives were present.

## Commerce Demands 30,000 Bu. of Wheat.

The National Bank of Commerce has filed a petition with Z. T. Milliken, referee, in the case of the Parker Grain company, which failed at Salina, Kas., recently. The petition asks that 30,000 bushels of wheat now in the company's elevator at Florence be turned over to the bank. The claim is based on bills of lading which it is contended were given the bank as security for money advanced.

## The Great Western Directors Meet.

The new board of directors of the Great Western Life Insurance company met to-day to examine the affairs of the company with a view to reorganizing for the transaction of business. Eugene Rust, general manager of the Kansas City Stock Yards company, was one of the directors selected yesterday instead of Joseph S. Rust as reported.

## The Banks Close Decoration Day.

If you have any business with the banks attend to it to-morrow. Notice was posted in all the banks to-day to the effect that they would be closed Saturday because Decoration day is a national holiday.

## HAD NO FAITH IN A WILL

A RICH RECLUSE'S BEQUEST BY LETTER ENDS IN LEGAL WAR.

Believed to Be in Penury, Ambrose B. Burbank Left Nearly 1 Million Dollars at Death—Distant Relatives in Struggle for the Money.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A preliminary step in a bitter contest over the property of an aged and eccentric recluse, who died in this city several years ago in apparent poverty, but, it turned out, left securities of the value of nearly 1 million dollars, was taken into the supreme court on a motion to discontinue a suit brought there in order to take a case to the United States court.

Ambrose B. Burbank was in the tobacco business in Henderson, Ky., in war times, and made a great deal of money. He lost some of it during the war, and finally decided to come to New York. His friends and relatives supposed he had lost all he had, but he had not been here long before he began to invest sums in Southern municipal and state bonds. As they accumulated, he placed them in a box in the vaults of a Safe Deposit company. He used to cut the coupons himself, always demanding payment in gold, which he stored away in another box of the vaults. When enough gold had been collected to pay for another bond, he would buy it and so on for years. The recluse, all this time, was living in a single room, apparently almost in poverty.

## A FAVORITE NEPHEW BOBS UP.

Burbank died in 1901, leaving a will naming Caleb A. Burbank, his nephew, and George H. Southard as executors. A will drawn in 1899 was produced in which C. A. Burbank was made residuary legatee after a few small bequests.

It now appears that when the old man was in business in Henderson he had associated with him a young man named Eleazer Burbank Newcomb, of whom he always spoke as his "favorite nephew." In the years that intervened this nephew had died, leaving a wife and two children, and in 1904 Mrs. Newcomb brought suit against Burbank and Southard, asking that they be compelled to turn over to her \$100,000 of the old man's securities, basing her claims on a letter alleged to have been written to her by him.

## THE STRANGE WILL REVEALS.

It was a peculiar document and contained the clauses that the writer had no confidence in wills, as he remembered that even so eminent a lawyer as Samuel J. Tilden had drawn one that had been broken and that of the wife of his favorite nephew by giving her \$100,000 in securities, which are specified by number and name.

Just before the date set for the trial, Mrs. Newcomb died and the case was scratched off the calendar. Then her two children, David Burbank Newcomb and Mary Ellen Newcomb, her executors, brought suit in the United States court.

The defense of the suit is that the document held by the Newcombs was a forgery and when the case comes up for trial, the fight on this point will be long and hard. A peculiar feature will be that the old man in his last years had scintilla in his right arm and learned to write with his left. Several hundred specimens of his handwriting, including standards of both styles, have been collected by the lawyers for the defense and they have retained some of the best handwriting experts in the country.

The Newcombs' claim amounts to nearly \$1,700,000.

## News Items.

From Judge. An actor in Jogue has a fur-coated tongue.

An absent-minded dentist in Quoit put gold crowns on the teeth of a saw.

A paying teller in a bank at Kramp is troubled with two-dollar-bill-itis.

Judge Christmas Is Improving.

Judge G. L. Christmas of Independence, who has been ill for several weeks, had so far improved in health this morning that he was able to go to the breakfast table with his family.

## THE GERMAN EMPEROR'S HORSES

Master of the Imperial Stables Directed an Interesting Exhibition.

From the New York Herald's Paris Edition.  
POTSDAM—Baron von Reischach, master of the imperial stables, recently gave a very interesting exhibition of the emperor's horses on the Lustplatz.

There was a time—and not so very long ago—when the horses of the imperial stables were, to put it mildly, not famous. The arrangements were old-fashioned and the animals in the stalls were of an uneven quality.

All that is changed. The Kaiser's stables have been completely reorganized, so that they are well up-to-date, comparing favorably with any other big stables in England or elsewhere. Baron von Reischach, assisted by his aide, Major von Bissing, showed before a very critical company about seventy-five saddle horses, which were good looking, in fine condition and admirably drilled.

Precisely at 3 o'clock, the crown prince, driving a six-in-hand of bay cobs to a sort of dogcart, drew up in the middle of the exercise ground, and he was a highly interested spectator for the next two hours. The crown prince yields to none in his interest in the horse.

Prince Eitel Fritz was also present, as well as Prince Max von Hohenlohe, Count Johann Sierstorff, Count von Alvensleben, one of the best known whips in Germany, and Herr Aehrenbach, who is another well known four-in-hand driver.

The first exhibition was that of thirty-nine riding horses, which, under the command of Major von Bissing, gave an excellent show of high training in all possible ways. There were English, Hungarian, Hanoverian and Austrian horses of many kinds and colors.

The entire lot was excellent in quality and perfect in condition. The collection comprised rack looking thoroughbreds, sturdy park hacks and short backed horses, looking as though they would be good for Irish country work.

Three officers, riding well trained Trakehnen bred horses, played "jeu de rose," showing how the horses were adapted to command, rider and bit. There was a training drill with twelve English horses, and Major von Bissing showed off Monarch, an English 3-year-old chestnut cob, with white stockings, which, at his will, changed step and performed a sort of dance with mathematical precision.

After a score of hunters had been put through their paces, the "clou" of the afternoon came with the final exhibition of the Kaiser's private chargers. His Majesty favors grays and has five good looking ones, all showy animals and trained to be good mannered under all circumstances. He has also a very remarkable brown and white skewball horse, which would be considered remarkable anywhere. The Kaiser's favorite is a solidly built dapple gray, which is reputed to be faultless.

## Girl Gets Answer to Note on Fish Can.

From the Los Angeles Examiner.

SAN PEDRO—Something over a year ago, while Miss Mamie Strand, now an employee at the central office of the Home Telephone company, was working in the cannery of the California Fish company, at East San Pedro, she and a number of the other girls wrote their names on several cans of sardines. Miss Strand added to her name her address and the words, "Write soon." Miss Strand is now in possession of a letter from John Longfellow, a college student at Kingston, R. I., in which he states that the sardines furnished a delightful lunch and expresses a desire to become better acquainted.

The Liver is seldom healthy while coffee is the daily drink.

Doctors recommend

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"There's a Reason."

## Mitchells Great "2 in 1" Sale!

To-morrow We Must Do Two Days' Business for on Saturday, Decoration Day, Our Store Will Be Closed. Great Money-Saving Bargains in All Departments. Store Will Be Open To-Morrow, Friday, Evening Till 10 o'clock.

## The Sale of Ladies' Trimmed Hats Will Be a Very Important Event!

HATS Worth Up to \$3.00 for Only 75cts.

THAT is just what they are; \$3.00 Hats for 75c each. We know that this is strong talk; we know that it is so strong that it is hard for some people to believe it, but you who are acquainted with the Mitchell Dry Goods Co. know that you can depend on this statement, and you know that when you come to our store to buy these hats that you will find \$3.00 Hats for 75c, and we would emphasize the fact that you will not only find a few \$3 Hats, but that you will find hundreds of them, and we're not losing money either.

Mitchells spot cash bought these Hats, just the same as we buy a great many other things; bought them at a price; a very special price. To get right down to exact figures, we bought 1,500 Trimmed Hats, all that a big wholesale millinery house had; we bought them at about 25c on the dollar, and as we buy, so do we sell, and for Friday, the last day of this great "Four Days in Three" sale, we offer:

Hats Worth Up to \$3 for 75c

Hats Worth Up to \$5 for \$1.38

Hats Worth Up to \$7.50 for \$2.48

WE would also emphasize the fact that Mitchells guarantee everything that we sell, and if for any reason whatsoever, and when we say "Any" we mean everything and anything bought in this store, does not give the purchaser entire satisfaction, bring it back and we will cheerfully refund your money.

See our Page Ad in to-morrow morning's Times for big money saving bargains in all departments.

Money Cheerfully Refunded on Any Purchase Not Satisfactory.

**Mitchells**

"The Store of the People" 1009-1011 Main Street

KANSAS CITY, MO

We Give "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps.

New Belts for children, of patent leather as shown in illustration; this new Belt is called the "BOB EVANS, JR." made in black only, with contrasting color combinations.

Mitchells Special Price, each, 25c

LADIES' Washable Belts, many handsome styles, some with pearl buckles.

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Our Special Price, 15c

(You save 10c each)

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Remember this Store will be closed all day Saturday, Memorial Day—You'll have to Buy Friday! THE NEBRASKA intends to make this Friday the Greatest Bargain Friday in this Store's History!

**The Nebraska** 50c  
1113-1115 MAIN STREET

**\$16.50 EVERY MAN IN TOWN**

Would buy one of these wonderful Suits for \$16.50 if they would take time to come to The Nebraska and look them over. These Men's Suits are worth, and are now being sold in Kansas City for \$25 and \$22. Our great \$30,000 purchase enables us to sell these beautiful Suits for \$16.50.

This Store Will Remain Open Until 10 o'clock FRIDAY EVENING!

New Suits Fresh from the Workshops of the Highest Class Makers of Men's Clothes!

These Clothes makers are known from coast to coast for the fit, the hang, the classy style; the superb workmanship, the superior fabrics, the new color effects—in a word, for all that goes to make perfect garments for men who want the best and are satisfied with nothing less. We offer thousands of garments to-morrow at one-half price!

\$18 and \$15 Values, \$12

\$25 and \$22 Values, \$16.50

\$35 and \$30 Values, \$22.50

These are the very newest models the season produced. Not one of these garments was made to sell at less than double the price we ask to-morrow. All sizes and plenty for all, but the best patterns will of course be snapped up first. These are splendid \$18 and \$15 garments at.....

Every garment in the latest and most approved models. Extra well made with the stamp of quality and superb satisfaction by range of fabrics, colors and patterns in \$22 and \$25 garments, special to-morrow at.....

No such values as these were ever before offered anywhere else in the country. The latest extreme or conservative styles of the season. Every garment hand tailored, showing the superb workmanship that has made the famous among fastidious dressers. Positively \$30 and \$35 values at.....

**\$12**

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# Decoration Day Planning and "New Management" Sale

## Women's Suits and Waists Clearance

Sections A and B, Second Floor, Main St. Bldg.

**T**O-MORROW will be the last day of this "New Management" Clearance Sale in the women's cloak and suit section. If you have any idea whatever of buying a new suit, a separate skirt, a jacket, a light dress or even a waist, you should not let anything that could possibly come up in the ordinary run of a day to keep you from visiting the store Friday.

So radical have been the reductions all along the line that in many instances these garments are selling at less than they cost us and in every instance you will find the price very nearly half what the garments were marked a week ago. The following paragraphs but skim the surface of this great stock-adjustment sale story. The only way to get its full import is to come to the store in person.

### Women's \$7.50 Worsteds Skirts now \$3.75

These are of tropical worsteds in light and medium gray shades.

### Women's \$7.50 Voile Skirts, \$4.90

These are of fine French Voile in many new styles, beautifully cut and made.

### Women's \$15.00 Taffeta Skirts, \$10

These are of fine quality Black Taffeta, well cut and excellently tailored.

### Women's \$7.50 Jumper Suits now \$3.90

These are of corded madras, white cotton voiles and fancy percales.

### Women's \$6 Pique Skirts, \$3.95

These Skirts are of white pique and prettily trimmed with embroidery.

### Women's \$5 Pongee Coats \$2.98

These are short coats of fine quality pongee, made in various styles.

### Women's \$20 Panama Suits, \$9.75

Of black, blue and brown Panama, handsomely tailored.

### Women's \$4 Lace Waists now \$1.98

Many different styles in this lot of lace and net.

### \$19.50 Prince Chap Suits, \$12.75

These are of smart shepherd checks with black satin straps and folds.

## A Collection of New Dress Hats at \$6.75

Third Floor, Walnut St. Bldg.



**"M**ANY of the smartest Hats that have just been created for fashion to wear at the Grand Prix are of the dashing Cavalier style, a picture of one I herewith enclose"—so runs a letter we have just received from our Paris branch and the picture at the left is a picture of one of the hats we have made up from the styles described in that letter. You will find our millinery store keeping pace with the new ideas and showing almost simultaneously with New York houses new millinery creations that have their birth in Paris.

We place on sale to-morrow a collection of new trimmed hats at \$6.75, one is illustrated here. They are trimmed with large roses or small blossoms, imported flowers, large wings and heavy bows of ribbon, and they are adaptations from prevailing Paris and New York styles. The large Hat is strictly la mode—some of the new ones are more extreme than ever.

### Trimmed Two-Piece Merry Widow Suits, \$1.89

Probably the most serviceable street and outing Hat you could buy is the Merry Widow Sailor. We show it at \$1.89 in all colors and trimmed bewitchingly with ribbons and quills.

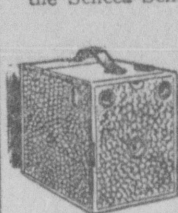
### Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats, \$1.19

Such a variety of styles that every taste may find expression. These are trimmed with silk ribbons in dainty colors, such as light blue, pink and white and with imported small flowers to harmonize.

## \$4 Cameras To-morrow for \$2

Sec. C, First Floor, Main St. Bldg.

**Y**OU will admit that this is the lowest price that you have ever seen on a high grade Camera that takes pictures 4x5 inches. It is the Seneca Senior with



Improved Automatic Shutter for time or snap shots, Two large view finders and high grade Achromatic Lens.

It is strongly made and light weight. We want to bring you in to see this stock of Cameras and supplies and to-morrow, the day before Decoration Day, we will sell these \$4 Cameras at each.....

**\$2**

Also we will sell; "M Q" Developer at, tube, 3c

Kodak Albums, 5 1/2 x 7 inches; 100 pages; our regular 45c value, 25c.

Ruby Lamps for dark room use; regularly 75c; for 35c.

We do Photo Developing for amateurs and the work is remarkably good; quick service; lowest prices.

## Pre-Decoration Day Sales

In the Big New

## Walnut Street Basement

## The Ready-to-Wear Clearance Continues

**A**LL of the lots moved down to the Walnut street Basement, if any garments remain, will continue to-morrow. See yesterday evening's Star for the list. Here are some additional bargains:

### This Shirt Waist Suit, \$1.25

A dainty summer-like suit, serviceable as well as comfortable and attractive. Of white lawn with red, blue or black polka dots. Another style included is of blue chambray, tucked front and white piping. Former prices were \$1.98 and \$2.48. Choice, Basement to-morrow, suit.....

**\$1.25**

### Children's Soiled White Dresses

But they'll come from the tub perfect. Very tastefully trimmed with lace and embroidery. Ages 6 to 14 years. Former \$1.25 and \$1.50. Dresses, Basement to-morrow, choice.....

**75c**

### \$1.25 Kimonos, 98c

Of fancy figured lawns in pretty Japanese styles. A clear cash saving of 27c to-morrow; choice of the lot.....

**98c**

### White Duck Skirts

Nothing looks so cool as a duck skirt. These formerly sold at \$1.98. The Clearance price to-morrow, Basement, is.....

### \$5 Skirts, \$3.98

Of fine quality Panama—black, blue or brown—taffeta trimmed. Formerly sold at \$5. This Clearance Sale to-morrow.....

**\$3.98**

## Women's \$2.50 Oxfords, \$1.69

**M**AYBE the Shoes you are wearing will last a couple of weeks longer. Don't wait. Come to-morrow to our Basement and make a much better purchase than waiting would secure for you. Choice of patent leather or vicci kidskin in tans or blacks. The reason? They're short lines taken from stock for this sale; \$2.50 Oxfords to-morrow at pair.....

**\$1.69**

### Children's \$1.50 Oxfords, 98c

Your child's feet can be snugly "shoed" to-morrow in either tans or blacks of patent leather and vicci kidskin. Blucher lace cut; all sizes up to 2s. Regular \$1.50 Oxfords to-morrow, pair, 98c.

Of tan calfskin with extended soles and protected toes; 1 1/2 to 2s, 79c; 8 1/2 to 11s, 69c; and 5s to 8s, pair.....

**49c**

## Sandals

Of tan calfskin with extended soles and protected toes; 1 1/2 to 2s, 79c; 8 1/2 to 11s, 69c; and 5s to 8s, pair.....

**49c**

## Paris Millinery—Copied

**T**HERE'S a force of ten expert millinery trimmers copying from high priced French Hats such as Georgette's or Collier's, for this sale to-morrow. When a hat is finished the exact cost of frames, trimmings and work is figured up and a price mark attached with our small department store profit added. Note that no exaggerated price for style is included as on French hats—yet Paris style is cleverly worked into these exact copies.

To-morrow actual \$5 values will be on sale—of silk hair braids and chiffon, made over wire frames, trimmed with imported flowers and foliage, filmy chiffon silk and beautiful all silk ribbon rosettes and bows.....

**\$2.19**

## Untrimmed SHAPES

150 in summer styles, many suitable for trimming into the season's most charming creations. Up to 69c values, choice.....

**6c**

## Workingmen's Outfitting Store

Basement at Main and Twelfth Streets

## Our \$4.95 Line of Men's Suits

**A**NY number of these Suits rightfully belong in a much higher priced line of clothing. We know other stores are selling, at \$7.50 and \$10. Suits that are identical to many of these. Come and select either single or double breasted, two or three-piece suits to suit your exact requirements. A big variety of good patterns in stripes and plaids. All regular sizes, \$3 to \$4.25—up to date styles suit.....

**\$4.95**

## 25c and 35c Suspenders, 15c

Most of them from a big purchase of Ely-Walker. Full lengths, new fresh goods—regular 25c and 35c values, to-morrow, choice.....

**15c**

## Men's Four-in-Hand Ties

Narrow, medium and wide Neckwear in such variety it will pay you to match every shirt you own. Light and dark patterns—all silk or wash Ties. Up to 50c values will be out for you to choose from to-morrow, each.....

**15c**

## Men's Hats

Black Derby Hats or brown, black and pearl soft Hats, \$2.50 to \$3.50 brands to sell here to-morrow, choice.....

**98c**

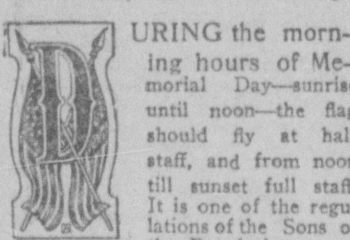
## Men's Shirts

As pretty a line of negligee as in any Kansas City store—with soft cuffs only. Sizes 14 to 17, 3 for \$1, each.....

**35c**

## Flags at Half Staff Until Noon

Second Floor, Walnut Street Building.



**U**RING the morning hours of Memorial Day—sunrise until noon—the flag should fly at half staff, and from noon till sunset full staff. It is one of the regulations of the Sons of the Revolution. And be patriotic. These prices will help. All Wool Bunting Flags with canvas heading, 2x3 ft., advertised as \$1.25 value, we sell at 89c. Pretty Little Silk Flags, 2x3 inches, on a 5-inch pin, dozen, 35c. Muslin Flags on staffs, 7x10 1/4 in., dozen 9c. Muslin Flags, 2 1/2 x 4 inches, dozen, 2c, and rather than break the packages we will sell them at 3 dozen for 5c. We have a remarkably complete stock of Flags at prices proportionately as low.

## \$1.50 Long Silk Gloves Double Finger Tips 98c

Section A, Main Floor, Main St. Bldg.

**E**VERYTHING about these Gloves will tell you they're \$1.50 standards—the rich, heavy beauty of the silk—the double finger tips—their length—the rich golden browns, and tans and blacks and whites—you'll recognize their \$1.50 points at every turn, except the price ticket! There's a big jobber in New York pocketing the loss—you are making a clear saving of 52c a pair—getting them right when you want them, in all sizes, at, pair.....

**98c**

## A Sale of White Goods

First Floor, Walnut St. Bldg.

**A** RECENT purchase involving something like \$7,000 worth of this season's newest White Goods that came to us for a little over \$4,000 brings about some extraordinary values. The following are a few of many—

### Up to 25c White Goods at

Fine Mercerized Plaids and Stripes..... 12 1/2 c  
Sheer White Corded Stripe Fabrics..... Yd.  
Fine Striped Dimities, var. styles.....  
Sheer India Linons, fine quality.....  
Fine Persian Lawns, silky finish.....

### Up to 35c White Fabrics at

Fine lace stripe effects, 3 styles..... 19c  
Mercerized Madras striped Waistings..... Yd.  
Fine Mercerized Plaids and Stripes.....  
Imported Tissue Plaids and Stripes.....  
French Lawns—47 inches wide.....

## White Ribbon Sale

Section A, Main Floor, Main St. Bldg.

**A**ND Paris says it's to be a ribbon season—miles of fluttering streamers—quaint, dainty sashes and girdles and airy bows. So for the sweet girl graduate, we've planned this sale of White Ribbon.

25c White Taffeta 4 1/2 in., yd, 15c  
25c White Failleline, 5-in., yd, 15c  
6-in. 35c Taffeta, yard..... 19c

### SPECIALS IN COLORED RIBBON

25c and 35c Ribbons for 15c  
French Failleline or heavy taffeta, 4 1/2 and 5 inches wide; all colors; 25c and 35c value, yd, 15c.  
6-in. 35c Taffeta, 19c

Heavy pure silk taffeta, 6 inches wide, all colors, black or white; 35c value.

## Women's Tan Oxfords for Decoration Day—Up to \$3.50 Ones, \$2.25

**A**LL sizes in all the styles shown in the drawing—trim two-buckle Oxfords—one-buckle Pumps with Colonial tongues—three-eyelet Ribbon Ties—all \$3.50 values—and all marked \$2.25 for the selling on the last day before Decoration Day! They are splendidly made, splendidly finished—trim, new styles, with short pumps and medium or high heels—beautiful shade of tan. But we got them in a closeout we made from a good factory the other day, and you may buy them at \$2.25 a pair.

### And Men's \$3 Tan Oxfords, \$2.25

Tans are getting scarcer every day—particularly these of genuine Russia calfskin. But we're going to sell them as low as we can as long as we can, so to-morrow they'll be \$2.25. Toes pointed, but not extreme; styles are good, but the Shoes are comfortable—values are \$3, but the price is.....

**\$2.25**

### Men's Patent Leather Oxfords, \$1.98

Or gummetal. All welt soles, lace or button. Toes rounded or pointed. You will find even "Treadwell" \$4 Shoes in this lot. And a big lot it is at, pair.....

**\$1.98**

### Women's \$2.50 Black Oxfords, \$1.75

Of patent leather or vicci kid, extension or light weight soles; plain or tip toes; lace or button. There is one great big table of these Shoes, odds and ends, but worth up to \$3.50, on which we have made the price to-morrow.....

**\$1.75**

### \$2 and \$2.50 White Oxfords, \$1.69

Some very trim styles, with extension or turn soles and toes, plain or tipped. Even some white button Oxfords, \$2 and \$2.50 values.....

**\$1.69**

Misses' White Canvas Oxfords, \$1.50 Values, 98c



## Sporting Goods for Decoration Day

Second Floor, Walnut St. Bldg.



**S**ATURDAY is Decoration day and the next day is Sunday—it's quite a chance for an outing. The store, of course, will not be open Saturday To-morrow is your last chance to buy the things you're to have your fun with And to-morrow we hold a genuine Jones sale on everything you'll need.

### A Complete Fishing Outfit for \$1

Bought separately these items would cost you \$1.64 even in this store—no telling what it would be at usual sporting goods prices! There are in this outfit:

A Bamboo Pole, worth 75c. A Cork Float, worth 5c.  
A Nickel Reel, worth 45c. 6 Lead Sinkers, worth 3c.  
A Silk Line, worth 19c. Gutted Hooks, worth 15c.

We will sell the whole outfit to-morrow for \$1

### 25c Worth of Trout Flies, 10c

Of good quality—different styles—worth 25c a dozen. But the sale price to-morrow will be, dozen.....

**10c**

### \$2 Shakespeare Reels, \$1.59

To hold 60 yards of line—back sliding click and drag, bone handle, large spool. Nickel plated all over, worth \$2, but this is a genuine Shakespeare and we sell it at.....

**\$1.59**

Shakespeare Minnows that many stores sell at 85c, you may buy to-morrow at 27c.

### A \$2 Casting Rod for \$1.25

A very strong Rod of lancewood with Kalamazoo guide and tip; cork handle. Closely wound; 2 1/2 value.....

**\$1.25**

### \$1 Baseball Bat, 50c

You have never seen Bats of this kind sell at less than \$1 each. We guarantee to replace any one of them that is broken in a game. Different lengths and weights. Special to-morrow at.....

**50c**



### Pneumatic Baseballs

There isn't a better Baseball made. We stand back of that statement with a guarantee. They are correct size and width—like other balls except that the gutta percha ball inside is hollow—giving elasticity; \$1.50 values to-morrow.....

**98c**

### \$5 Tennis Rackets for \$2.98

Strung with first quality of Oriental gut—the throat of the Racket reinforced—the handles of cedar. They are Rackets good enough for anybody; \$5 value. The way sporting goods house prices go. But this is Jones' and you may buy them at.....

**\$2.98**

### Wright & Ditson 50c Balls, 3 for \$1

These are the Championship Tennis Balls—1908 make—as are also the Ayers Balls and the Goodrich ones, which we will sell to-morrow, 50c values, at 3 for.....

**\$1**

### 50c Ball Mitts, 15c

There's a Decoration Day item for you! Buy all you need. This is a lot we want to close out—Gloves and Mitts of all kinds that we have sold at up to 50c will be here to-morrow at your choice for.....

**15c**

## Women's 50c Hosiery, 25c

Section C, Second Floor, Main Street Bldg.

**I**F you're in the habit of paying 75c for your stockings, you're going to be able to buy the very same 75c kind to-morrow, 3 pairs for the price of one! If you usually pay 25c, then where you formerly got just plain black cotton—you are going to get the finest of imported sheer lace hosiery! For just as a rousing special in this Decoration Day Sale—we are going to sell lace or embroidered lisle hose, brilliant or plain black—all sizes—hundreds of designs—50c and 75c values, for pair.....

**25c**

## Cut Glass Tumblers, 42c ea.

First Floor, Walnut Street Bldg.

**C**LEAR, radiant, sparkling glasses—half a dozen of which will answer splendidly for that June wedding gift you're to buy. Pineapple and superb patterns; star cut bases. The fact that you get them for 42c each instead of 75c doesn't detract from their value as gifts. On sale to-morrow, each for.....

**42c**

### Gold Plated Clocks

Attractive Cupid design; gracefully shaped; splendid timekeepers; 8 inches high; with or without alarms; guaranteed for one year; each.....

**98c**

### Watch Fobs

Made in Germany; nickel fobs with a colored stone pendant; very sturdy; simply designed and tasteful; special to-morrow, each.....

**25c**

### Hold-Fast Barrettes

Shell or amber color, with groove that holds the locks and holds itself in place, each.....

**25c**

### Stick Pins

Big assortment of 50c and 69c values, gold plated, stone set; choice.....

**25c**

### Arts and Crafts Jewelry

Very new; copper made jewelry with sets and natural green effects; hat and belt pins, etc.; each.....

**25c**

### Coral Jewelry

Brooches, Hat Pins, Belt Pins and Veil Pins; gold filled mountings; two designs; delicately chiseled; each.....

**25c**

## Marcel Wavers—a Demonstration

Section A, First Floor, Main St. Building.

**H**ERE at last is







## THE VOICE OF THE FOREST.

My voice cries out of grey antiquity  
And brands you Slayers of earth's price-  
less things—  
Ye Devastators of the Forest Kings  
That hold their sceptres by this Western  
Sea.  
Zee ye were born—have ingrates that ye be!  
Ye brazen Spoilers! lo, the future brings  
God's gathered wrath, for still the wood-  
land rings  
With piteous death-throes of the slaught-  
ered trees.  
O shameless Vandals of a mammoth age  
Hear ye my words—"Where fruitful fields  
now bloom  
Deserts shall stretch, whose lords are  
Drought and Sand,  
And on those wastes Famine and Death shall  
rage.  
While starving Peoples, blasted by that  
doom,  
Shall curse you for the desolated Land!"  
—Lloyd Mifflin.

## THE HYACINTHS OF HOLLAND

CULTIVATED MORE EXTENSIVELY THAN  
TULIPS BY THE DUTCH GARDENERS

Bulbs Bring Nearly 8 Million Dollars  
a Year From Foreign Countries—In-  
teresting Stories Concerning the  
Origin of Floral Favorites.

From the Chicago News.

THE HAGUE, HOLLAND, April 24.—This is a flowery Easter for Holland, as, notwithstanding the blustering spring winds and the storms and snow all the hyacinths and many varieties of narcissus were up and arrayed in their best to greet the Easter morn. The rather heavy snow-storms that sweep over the landscape, alternating with spells of the brightest sunshine, only enhance the beauty of the scene. What could be prettier than the daintily colored hyacinths, each wearing its fluffy cap of fleecy snow, or the golden yellow of the daffodils crowned with pure white that sparkles in the sunshine? Then when the warm sunlight melts the snow, the endless fields of flowers sparkle, with rainbow-hued water drops. Holland loves its flowers, and every year during the floral season thousands of people make a pilgrimage to the fields and carry back to their dark city homes great bunches and wreaths of the sunny daffodil, the sweet scented hyacinth and the gorgeous tulip.

The honor in which flowers are held might not, however, be ascribed solely to a love for the beautiful in the Dutch soul. No; there is also an element of utility and self-interest in this devotion. The cultivation of flower bulbs brings in an income of 7 million florins (\$2,800,000) and more annually and all of the money comes from foreign countries. More than 7,000 acres of land are now planted, which produce about 24 million pounds of bulbs. In the flower growing districts sometimes as many as 150 auctions of bulbs are held during the season, most of which bring from \$8,000 to \$12,000 each. Last year prices for tulips and hyacinths rose 20 to 30 per cent. In the last ten years the export of bulbs has been almost trebled, while the import has also greatly increased, for new varieties are continually being produced here and in other lands. Last year the export amounted to more than 30 million pounds, against 22 million in 1906. Great Britain took the largest quantity. Then came Germany and Austria and then the United States. It is especially the export to America which is increasing so rapidly, notably since the winter before last, when the almost sunless winter in North America caused an immense demand for Dutch bulbs.

CAME FROM ASIA MINOR.

Because the cultivation of the hyacinth and tulips thrives so admirably in Holland the question has been raised whether this country must be considered as the place of origin of these flowers. Both the hyacinth and a kind of tulip—the "tulipa sylvestris"—are found in a wild state in Holland, but it does not seem sure that they are indigenous, for they may have come from the imported cultivated variety. In the days of ancient Greece mention is made of the hyacinth, which was supposed to have sprung from the blood of Hyacinthos, the son of King Amyklos and Klio, who lost his life in a tragic manner. The flower which is described as a hyacinth in that fable has, however, proved to be the "gladiolus communis." The original home of the cultivated hyacinth was near Aleppo and Bagdad in Asia Minor, where it grows wild in great profusion. It was taken to Constantinople and Venetian traders introduced it into Italy. It did not become popular in Europe until it was taken up by Dutch florists after the "tulip mania" and "fall" of the tulip as a speculative product. Holland's flower growers prosecuted the cultivation of this flower with great enthusiasm and very many varieties were soon produced. At the end of the sixteenth century only four varieties were known and twenty-five years later only eleven, but in the first half of the seventeenth century 2,000 varieties were recorded. In later years only the best of these were kept for cultivation.

OLD PETER'S DOUBLE HYACINTH.  
The double variety of hyacinth also had a mythical origin, although not such a poetical one as the single flower. It is said to owe its origin to the gout. In the seventeenth century the Haarlem bulb grower, Peter Voorhelm, had a fad for only some particular varieties of hyacinths and any flower which differed but in the slightest from his idea of perfection was mercilessly cut down. Every morning early old Peter used to examine his plants armed with a large pair of scissors and so kept his hyacinth beds trim and tidy. But Peter had loved good cheer and a comfortable life and so he was overtaken by the avenger of evil living—an acute attack of the gout. It was then impossible for him to leave his bed and his hyacinths flourished at their own sweet will. As chance would have it, at that very time a strange hyacinth with double flowers grew out of one of Peter's bulbs. This flower was so lovely that everyone who saw it marveled and as soon as Peter was up his first walk was to the new flower, which at once found favor in his eyes that he cultivated it carefully and soon many varieties of the double hyacinth were brought to market. That is the tradition, but history tells a different tale. The double hyacinth must have appeared in the first years of the seventeenth century, for ancient botanical works published in 1611 and in 1613 contain descriptions and pictures of it.

But it is almost certain that the famous hyacinth, "Le roi de la Grande Bretagne" ("King of Great Britain"), was a triumph of Peter Voorhelm's cultivation. This celebrated hyacinth was born in 1658 and one single bulb was sold for \$400. Soon the double hyacinth became more popular than the single one and about 240 varieties were produced. Afterward the vogue diminished and now the single kinds are again preferred.

THE GREAT TULIP CRAZE.

Yet the hyacinth never reached the dizzy heights of fame and finance attained by the tulip. It was "the German Pliny," Conrad Gesner, who lived in the middle of the sixteenth century, who gave the tulip its name, when he first made its acquaintance in the garden of an Augs-

burg merchant, who had received the bulbs from a commercial friend in Constantinople. This was in the spring of 1559. Gesner called the brilliant flower "Tulipa," which was the Latin form of the Turkish "tulban," or "tulpan," meaning turban, which headdress the flower resembled. In Turkey the tulip is still much beloved and an annual tulip festival is held there. The tulips of the Augsburg merchant became the great-grandparents of all those cultivated in Western Europe, and Linnaeus, the Swedish botanist, called this earliest variety "Tulipa Gesneriana."

In the beginning of the Seventeenth century tulips began to be grown in Holland and Flanders. In 1600 they were introduced into France by a member of parliament, Teiresis, who succeeded in creating the most splendid varieties. Soon all his friends and acquaintances wanted tulips and tulip raising became a veritable mania. Soon the craze spread to Holland, where it assumed gigantic proportions. People gambled in tulips as they now gamble on the stock exchange and immense fortunes were won and lost. The height of the tulip mania occurred between 1634 and 1637 and people stopped at no folly, however great, to obtain a coveted bulb. For a single bulb of the "Viceroy" this payment was made: "Two carts of wheat, four loaves of rye, four fat oxen, eight fat hogs, twelve fat sheep, two hogheads of wine, four tons of beer, two casks of butter, 1,000 pounds of cheese, a bed and bedding, a new suit of clothes and a silver cup." The whole representing a value of \$1,000. Soon the ingenious device of selling bulbs by weight further increased their value. The standard of weight was the "aas" or "ace," which was used only in weighing gold. By this means a bulb of "Semper Augustus," which weighed 193 aces, was sold for \$1,840 and in addition "a new well appointed chariot with two dapple grays and every other thing appertaining thereto."

## FORTUNE IN BULBS.

From legal documents of the year 1637 it appears that one family gained \$45,000 by the sale of a few bulbs. People ruined themselves to gain possession of the flower. Some bulbs were sold for enormous sums, with the provision that the sale would only hold good as long as prices did not rise within a certain time.

Then a reaction set in and soon a regular tulip crisis brought about a panic on the flower exchange, which left thousands of people penniless, their only possession being a small stock of tulip bulbs, yesterday representing thousands and thousands of florins but now shorn of their fictitious value.

## Poems Asked For.

Requests for poems should be accompanied by name and address of sender; not necessarily for publication.

To The Star: Please publish, or ask for Sam's Rogers' poem, "The Old Schoolhouse," Gallatin, Mo.

To The Star: Where can I find "Over the Sea Mania Way," taken from Kipling's "Mandalay"? I think it was first published in the Manila Times. O. H. B. Parsons, Kas.

To The Star: I send you a fragment of a poem entitled "She and I," written by James Berry Bernal. Can you find and publish the complete poem? I could not brook.....marvelous face to look.

.....my hands and led me in,  
.....with my nearest kin.  
I could not speak and I could not stir,  
.....with love I looked on her."

.....my tears, and with lifted head  
.....my beautiful dead." J. V. F. Lawrence, Kas.

To The Star: Where can I find the poem, "Our Jim Is Captain of the Crew"? In the second verse the lines:  
"He took it in his curly head  
To take a college course,  
We parted with the pasture lot  
And sold the sorrel horse." M. L.

To The Star: Please publish, or request, the poem, "Young America in Pinetown," by Julia Anne Wolcott. It was published in the Ladies' Home Journal about 1891 or 1892. Also, "The Same Old Lie," the story of a man going back to his alma mater and seeing the generation going over the same work and committing the same pranks he used to do. Also, the poem containing this stanza:  
"Once I knew a farmer,  
A jolly, good old soul,  
Who used to work upon his farm  
Around his country home." H. M. Topkas, Kas.

To The Star: Please help me to find a poem by Theodosia Garrison, containing these lines:  
"She had lived such a miserable life  
As undressed daughter, undressed wife,  
That when death came for his love and bride,  
She hesitated, fearing lest he lied." D. D. K. Neasho Rapids.

To The Star: Can you help me find a recitation which tells this story? A husband agreed to give up smoking a pipe, and his wife agreed to give up chewing gum. One day he went into the attic to get his pipe. He found his wife there and she asked what he was doing. He said he was hunting his pipe and she said she was hunting her gum. Miss K.

To The Star: Who is the author of the inclosure, and so appropriate to the season? I have asked several papers and none can tell. F. T. Quincey, Ill.

Lingering Winter.  
Linger in the Lap of Spring,  
Big old daffodils,  
Scare the squirrels and scare the thrushes,  
Frighten even buds and bushes.  
Maple buds come peeping stronger  
Shrink to see you linger longer  
In the lap of that sweet maiden.  
Hoary looks all by laden  
Covering o'er her warm sweet bosom,  
Bleating every lovely blossom,  
Take away your snowy tresses,  
For she longs for my caresses.  
I'd kiss her until love had filled her,  
Kiss her where your looks had dilled her,  
Warm her with love's sunny brightness  
Back to happy springtime lightness.  
My love would warm the buds and flowers,  
Give to earth refreshing showers,  
Teach the maiden nature's duty,  
Fill the world with infant beauty,  
Daffodils and tulips springing.  
Smiling, dancing, laughing, singing,  
Joyful at the maid's sweet portion,  
Summer sun and my devotion.

RARE GOSPELS SOLD FOR \$1.175.  
Greek Manuscript Dating Back to the Twelfth Century.

From the New York Times.  
The sale at Anderson's of the Edward H. Lowe library and other rare books and manuscripts was concluded Friday evening and realized a total of \$11,000.

A manuscript of the Gospels, neatly written in Greek cursive characters on 304 vellum leaves, and dating back to the twelfth century, fetched the highest price of the day, \$1,175. The successful bidder was Count Cantuete Castelveto of Florence, Italy, who is temporarily a resident of this city.

The work, which is in red velvet binding, contains three full page paintings on good ground of Saints Nicholas, Mark and Luke. The fourth illustration, representing Saint John, is missing. There are original silver ornaments on the front

cover, representing Christ on the cross and the Virgin and Saint John in attendance and the attributes of the four evangelists in the four corners. It is said that no finer Greek manuscript of the Gospels has appeared for sale in many years, and that this is the first copy ever auctioned off in America.

Other rarities in the sale were:  
Charles Dickens's "Our Mutual Friend," first edition, presentation copy from Dickens, November 8, 1867; \$110.

A complete set of the first editions of George Eliot's works, \$175.  
First edition of Nathaniel Hawthorne's "Fanshawe," his first published work, Boston, 1828; \$510.

First edition of John Keats's "Endymion," Aubrey de Vere's copy, \$111.  
The Kelmscott copy of John Keats's poems, the rarest of these publications, \$145.

"The English Spy," by C. M. Westmacott, illustrated by Ronlandson and Cruikshank, \$185.

## Enamel for Bathrooms.

From the New York Times.  
For bathrooms, laundries, nurseries and closets there is nothing better than white or cream colored enamel. It is pleasing in appearance, easy to keep clean, and is about the most durable coating that can be applied with a brush.

Any woodwork, metal, or glass can be coated with enamel, and if the surfaces are properly cleaned before it is applied it will hold better than any paint. There are several good formulas for enamels than can be made at home, but the following will prove available for anything:

To one pound of white zinc and two pounds of white lead add varnish to thin it to the consistency of thin cream. Mix the ingredients thoroughly and apply with a flat brush. Scrub and sandpaper all surfaces to be coated and cover them with one thin coat of ordinary white paint, then lay on two successive coats of the enamel.

The varnish in enamel paint, if not too stiff, will keep smooth, so that no brush marks will show, as in paint. Before the last coat is applied the surfaces should be rubbed lightly with No. 00 sandpaper to remove any slight roughness.

To keep any enameled surfaces clean they only require rubbing with a soft cloth and cold water, but to remove grease add a small portion of borax to the water or try a little soap. Scouring soaps only cut away the enamel. But as the paint is not expensive to make it is something better to recoat surfaces than to try to scour them back to their original color.

This enamel is also good for furniture and for iron beds, children's cribs, kitchen sinks and the outside of iron bath tubs, but for the inside it is best to purchase a hot water enamel paint, as it will not be possible to make that.

## Apples and Insomnia.

From the Pathfinder.  
A medical writer declares that the apple is such a common fruit that very few persons become familiar with its medicinal properties. The best thing just before going to bed, he says, is to eat an apple. "Persons uninitiated in the mysteries of the fruit," he continues, "are likely to throw up their hands in horror at the visions of dyspepsia which such a suggestion may summon up, but no harm can come even to a delicate system by the eating of a ripe and juicy apple before going to bed. The apple is excellent brain food, because it has more phosphoric acid in easily digested shape than any other fruit. It excites the action of the liver, promotes sound and healthy sleep and thoroughly disinfects the mouth. This is not all; the apple prevents indigestion and throat diseases."



## Best for the Hair

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The stomach and bowels are surrounded with blood vessels and glands which absorb the food in its mixed and digested form as it passes along the upper part of the bowels. When the upper bowels have passed all of the good part of the food into the blood and glands (much like the juice at the elder press) the waste part of the food—the part the body doesn't want or need is passed into the lower bowel and thus out of the system. This is the process necessary to health. If your stomach and bowels do not do this work properly they need help, and they must have help at once or serious illness will result.

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## GREAT SEAL OF AMERICA

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Stirring Shield Which Was Started Almost With Declaration of Independence Kept From Curious Eyes—Present Form of Seal.

From the Philadelphia North American.

In a corner of one of the offices of the State department, in a wooden case, which is kept almost constantly locked, is the great seal of the United States. It is called the great seal, but it is, in fact, the only seal of the United States as a nation among other nations.

The history of the great seal is older than that of the constitution itself. It begins on the very day that the Declaration of Independence was read and adopted by the Continental Congress. It was 2 o'clock on the afternoon of July 4, 1776, when that event took place and the bellman in the old Philadelphia steeplehouse was still jangling the Liberty bell as hard as he could when the delegates to the Congress passed the following resolution:

"Resolved, That Dr. Franklin, Mr. J. Adams and Mr. Jefferson be a committee to prepare a device for a seal of the United States of America."

There really was no United States of America then, but the patriots intended that there should be, and they proposed to be ready with the proper appurtenances. The constitution was not adopted until eleven years later, but in the meantime the seal was decided on and was used by the Congress which ran the government during its incubation.

The first committee, named while the bells of the Liberty bell were still ringing in their ears, reported about a month later, on August 10. The committee had a perfectly gorgeous design. Two, in fact one for the obverse and one for the reverse of the seal.

The design submitted by Messrs. Franklin, Adams and Jefferson was extremely interesting, but seems to-day rather queer. In the center was to be "the arms of the United States." That was all right. The arms of the United States, our familiar shield with the red and white bars and the blue above, appear in the center of the present seal.

But as we had no arms in 1776—at least none of the heraldic variety—the committee had to design some for us. This was their idea of what would be appropriate. A shield having six quarters, one to contain a rose which should refer to England, one a thistle for Scotland, one a harp for Ireland, one an imperial eagle for Germany, one a fleur-de-lis for France. These were not intended as delicate tributes to those countries, but as indicating the origin of the colonists who had formed the new nation in America.

This shield was to be supported on one side by a Goddess of Liberty, on the other side by a Goddess of Justice. Above was to be the eye of Providence in a triangle surrounded by a glory; that is to say, rays shooting out in all directions.

STIRRING SHIELD IGNORED.

The motto "E Pluribus Unum" was the one feature of this design which appears in the present one. Around the border was a circle of small shields, thirteen of them, each bearing the initials of one of the thirteen original colonies. But "M. B." referred to Massachusetts Bay colony and "D. C." to Delaware colony.

On the reverse of this original design there was quite an elaborate picture representing Pharaoh in his chariot, with a crown on his head and a sword in his hand, going through the fowls of the Red sea. The billows, however, were about to overwhelm him in obedience to a gesture from Moses, standing on the shore under a pillar (called "pillow" for the committee) of fire in a large cloud. The motto for this side was "Rebellion to Tyrants is Obedience to God."

The report submitting this elaborate and stirring design was nevertheless laid on the table by the Congress. Nothing further was done until March 25, 1777, when another committee was appointed. The members of this committee did not report for over a year, and when they did hand in their design it certainly was nothing to be proud of.

It was really Charles Tompkins, secretary of Congress, who was the author of the design which was the model of the present one. His sketch was given to William Barton to be, as he would say, "licked into shape." Barton knew a lot about heraldry, and he refined the details of Tompkins's idea, but without changing it essentially.

It was this design which was finally adopted by Congress June 20, 1782, and first used, so far as we know, three months later on a commission to General Washington granting him power to arrange with the British for the exchange of prisoners of war. On that document the seal was impressed over a white wax fastened to the parchment by means of red wax in the upper left hand corner.

We have changed the corner now and use the lower left-hand one for the upper. That seal was cut on brass in Philadelphia, but it is not known by whom the work was done.

That was the first of our great seals. We have had three new ones since then, and, curiously enough, no two of the four have been exactly alike.

The first one was in use fifty-nine years, from 1782 till 1841, when a second one was ordered by Daniel Webster, as Secretary of State. The third was cut in 1885, and the present one, which, by the way, was also cut in Philadelphia, in 1903.

While the first one, therefore, was used fifty-nine years, and the second forty-four years, the third one lasted only eighteen years. According to the rate at which the life of the seal was being shortened, the present one won't be good for more than a decade. The explanation of this contracted usefulness probably lies in the increased work which, as the country grows, the great seal has to perform.

GREAT SEAL LOSING ITS JOB.

On the other hand, since 1874 the great seal has been relieved of so many small jobs that it seems as if it ought to be enjoying the leisure of an aristocrat now. Up to that time it was placed on all civil communications, even those of postmasters. Since then the seal has been changed. Postmasters' commissions bear the seal of the postoffice department; judiciary officers, marshals and United States attorneys are appointed under the seal of the department of justice; officials of the interior department under the seal of that department, and so on.

At present the great seal is affixed "to the commissions of all cabinet officers and of diplomatic and consular officers nominated by the President and confirmed by the Senate; to all ceremonial communications from the President to heads of foreign governments; to all treaties, conventions and formal agreements with foreign powers; to all pardons or commutations of sentence; to the President's orders to officers who have been convicted before the courts of the United States."

"It is also affixed to all proclamations by the President; to all exequaturs

to foreign consular officers in the United States who are appointed by the heads of the governments they represent, to warrants by the President to receive persons surrendered by foreign governments under extradition treaties, and to all miscellaneous commissions of civil officers appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, whose appointment is not now especially directed by law to be signed under a different seal."

As before said, no two of the four great seals have been exactly alike. No. 2 had six arrows in the eagle's left claws instead of the thirteen which had been clutched by eagle No. 1. The bird himself was more graceful in No. 2, the clouds were, like the sun curls, the olive branch berries along with its leaves, the outline of the shield was entirely different and so was the border around the seal.

In 1885, when No. 3 was to be cut, the Department of State submitted the design to several authorities on heraldry with a view to correcting any faults that might exist. The experts declared the seal to be quite correctly conceived, so the same design was cut, but again there were slight differences. The whole seal was slightly smaller than the present one; the flutter of the scroll was altered; so were the claws and the olive branch.

The great seal is not operated by a spring lever, as is the case with many private seals. It is mounted on a solidly built wooden base about three feet high and perhaps three feet on top.

The stamp is held in position by a solid curved iron arm and is operated by turning a cross arm of steel with a pair of terminal balls weighing seventy pounds. The wooden cover, which turns back on hinges, is always locked when the seal is not to be used. The key—there is only one—is in the possession of the chief of the bureau of appointments, in whose private office the great seal is kept.

These are the capitals from Singapore to Cork.

I have battled with the savage Moro men. I behold some wondrous changes on returning to New York.

But it's good to see the horse cars once again.

From Youkers on the north the town has spread past Rockaway.

The warblers are out along the sound: The pliers have kept on pushing further out into the bay—

But its horse cars still go jiggling around.

The downtown streets are canyons roofed with narrow strips of sky.

And from the windows up beneath the roofs I can faintly hear the jingle as the same old cars crawl by.

And the same old clatter of the horse's hoofs.

The rumble from the subway and the automobile's bell.

Are blended with the old familiar jar

When perchance an overladen truck obstructs the right of way

And the driver o'er the pavement hauls his car.

There are places in the sandy sunny land of pine and yams

And up among the Northern lumber men

Where patient mule teams twitch their tails while trundling the teams—

But it's here I see real horse cars once again.

—New York Sun.

Ker-Zing!

From Orchestra Leader (at the climax of tragic duel scene)—What did you hit that drum for, Zimmer?

The Drummer (weakly)—It—it was force of h-habit, sir. I used to be a drummer at a burlesque house and always came down with the drum and cymbals when anyone did a fall, sir.

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The actual number of papers printed and

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April 1.....143,757/April 16.....142,006

April 2.....143,818/April 17.....142,241

April 3.....144,046/April 18.....142,048

April 4.....143,480/April 19.....144,525

April 5.....147,070/April 20.....142,017

April 6.....143,605/April 21.....142,196

April 7.....144,339/April 22.....142,078

April 8.....144,194/April 23.....142,330

April 9.....143,540/April 24.....142,014

April 10.....143,502/April 25.....142,351

April 11.....143,410/April 26.....144,394

April 12.....145,942/April 27.....141,954

April 13.....144,099/April 28.....141,923

April 14.....143,008/April 29.....215,769

April 15.....142,337/April 30.....141,483

Total for month.....4,294,310

Less deductions.....117,054

Total papers sold.....4,177,256

Average for month.....139,242

Average for April, 1907.....138,814

Net gain.....423

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The paid circulation of The Star's average

137,476 copies per day.

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The actual circulation during the month

of April follows:

April 1.....255,782

April 2.....255,793

April 3.....255,848

April 4.....255,848

April 5.....255,848

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April 8.....255,848

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15c Imported Sardines, can.....10c

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1 lb Shrimps, can 15c, doz.....\$1.50

Potted Ham or Tongue, can 5c, doz.....\$5.00

1 lb Baked Beans, 10c, doz.....\$1.00

1 lb cans Imported Herring in tomato sauce.....15c

1 lb cans Imported Fresh Mackerel.....25c

1 lb cans Imported Mackerel.....20c

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## A Bit of Information About GROCERIES

There never was offered to the people of Kansas City such an opportunity to save money on groceries. Take the following list for instance. How can you afford to overlook these remarkable bargains?

100 cases quart cans No. 1 Sauerkraut, cut from 160 to

4 cans 25c

About your last chance to buy Hams at this price. 6,000 pounds guaranteed No. 1 Sugar Cured Hams, for

10c pound

600 No. 10 10c White Ribbon Brand Lard, cut to

10c pound

55 cases Cream Sugar, every case guaranteed fresh.

Two dozen, 25c

1 car No. 8 size Solid Packed Tomatoes, 12 1/2c a case, for 5c.

Dozen, 1.00

1 car Cream Sugar Corn; regular 10c kind for 5c.

Dozen, 60c

1 car fine Granulated Sugar, 23 pounds \$1.00

On orders for other groceries amounting to \$5 or over:

80c pint Jar Jam, 10c

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80c Pure Gold Catnip, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Lemon Extract, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Vanilla Extract, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Sweet or Sour Pickles, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Scotch Oats, 3 pks., 10c

80c 1/2 pint Milk, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Breakfast Flg., 10c

80c 1/2 pint Lavender Soap, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Perfumery, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Evaporated Apples, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Genuine Colgate Tooth Paste, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Fancy Lemons, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Navel Oranges, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Q. O. brand best Flour, 10c

80c 1/2 pint 14 Bars M. Quinn's Soap, 10c

80c 1/2 pint Butter, 10c

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## SOCIETIES.

**ATTENTION SOVEREIGNS!**  
All members of Golden Rule Lodge No. 1, W. M., are requested to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Reiger, who died at her home, 4409 Walnut st., Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Burial at Elmwood cemetery. All members attend.

**SUSAN F. ROGERS, Guardian.**  
**MAUDE GIBSON, Clerk.**

**WE DANCE AGAIN.** CARNATION drill team will hold their regular dance and card party Friday night, March 27, '08, at their hall, S. W. cor. 14th and Grand ave. Finest floor and best music in the city. Admission, 15c.

**COMMITTEE.**  
**ATTENTION, MACCABEES.** All members of Sandover Hive No. 1 are requested to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Reiger, who died at her home, 4409 Walnut st., Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Burial at Elmwood cemetery. All members attend.

**MRS. LIZZIE FISHER, R. K.**  
**MISSOURI HOMESTEAD NO. 1.** The women will meet at their hall, southwest corner 14th and Grand, initiation of candidates. Work extended by the Gate City degree staff and drill team. Visiting Archers are welcome. Refreshments served.

**WM. SNOW, H. F. E.**  
**SOUTH GATE LODGE NO. 47.** A. F. and A. M. will hold special communication this (Thursday) evening, March 26, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock. Work third degree. The D. D. grand master, Rt. Wm. Bro. Francis A. Leach, will visit the lodge officially this evening. All members of the grand lodge will also be present. Master Masons cordially invited. Refreshments.

**E. J. JEFFRIES, W. M.**  
**RURAL LODGE NO. 816, A. F. and A. M.** Special this (Thursday) evening, March 26, at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Work in first degree on five candidates. All members of the lodge and all Masons cordially welcome. Hall 912 Walnut street.

**JOHN W. KIRK, W. M.**  
**THOS. J. THORNHILL, Secretary.**  
**STATED COMMUNICATION OF** Ben Hur lodge No. 822, A. F. and A. M., this (Thursday) evening, March 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Work in first degree on five candidates. All members of the lodge and all Masons cordially invited. Refreshments.

**FRANK W. COOK, W. M.**  
**GRANT S. LANDREY, Sec'y.**  
**IVANHOE LODGE NO. 440, A. F. and A. M.** will meet in regular communication Thursday, March 26, 7:30 o'clock p. m. Examinations and work in first degree. All members of the lodge and all Masons cordially invited. Refreshments.

**WM. R. SHAW, W. M.**  
**G. S. McLANAHAN, Sec'y.**  
**REGULAR MEETING HARMONY** chapter No. 162, O. E. S., at 8 o'clock, at 1111 Walnut st., at 8 o'clock. Initiation. **JEANETTE KENDALL, W. M.**

**BERTHA M. FAIRFIELD, Secretary.**  
**MEMBERS OF LAUREL CAMP** No. 84, R. N. A., are requested to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Reiger, who died at her home, 4409 Walnut st., Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Burial at Elmwood cemetery. All members attend.

**EFFIE ZELLER, Recorder.**  
**THE WOODMAN SOCIAL CLUB DANCES** to-night at Walsman's hall, Thirty-eighth street and Grand, from 8 to 11 o'clock. The committee, partners for all. Standard up-to-date orchestra; a big time for little money; come and bring your friends. Admission 50c, ladies free. Take "A" car.

**J. H. KOFFER, Mgr.**  
**COME AND HAVE A GOOD TIME WITH** Advance Homestead No. 875, B. A. Y., next Friday evening, March 27, at its hall, 1913 Leavenworth. Music, dancing, ice cream and cake. Admission 10 cents.

**EDNA HARROUN, W. M. BRYANT, Cor.**  
**VEITCH LODGE NO. 704, I. O. O. F.** meet at hall, 2601 and Spruce, evening of March 26, 1908; work in first degree. Visiting brothers welcome. **H. H. NORVILL, N. G.**

**W. H. WEIR, Sec'y.**  
**INDEPENDENT ORDER B'NAI BRITH** will hold special meeting at Jewish Chalmers building, 1702 Locust street, Thursday evening, 8 o'clock, to receive and vote on new petition. **MAX M. GOLDMAN, Pres.**

**LEON E. BLOCK, Sec'y.**  
**HOUSEHOLD GOODS.** Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**AUCTION SALE.** 1:30 p. m., Friday, 1409 Grand ave. Matinee sale nice clean household furnishings; contents of a private residence; including a fine piano and cash for your goods or sell them on commission. Bell phone 4233. Radio Inviter, 1409 Grand ave. The Reliable Auctioneers, Walter Donaldson.

**NEW CURTAIN HANGERS.** \$7.50. Morocco Leather Couch, \$7.50. Leather Platform Rocker, \$7.50. Cotton Nylons, new, 10c. Old chairs and rockers cheap. 14 WEST 18TH ST.

**EXECUTOR'S SALE.** At auction, Friday, March 27, 1 o'clock p. m., No. 1111 Walnut ave., all household goods including refrigerator, sewing machine, tools, etc., of George W. Farr, deceased.

**WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE** for household and office furniture, more fixtures and other goods. Call on Geo. W. Farr, 564 West 1st, Home, 5479 Main; Bell, 1531.

**IRON BED, SPRINGS, MATTRESS.** 4; leather couch, \$7; dining table, \$4.50; folding bed, \$4.50; kitchen cabinet, chairs, other goods, cheap. 1804 E. 15th.

**WE PAY CASH FOR HOUSEHOLD** goods and fixtures. Call on Geo. W. Farr, 564 West 1st, Home, 5479 Main; Bell, 1531.

**A BEDROOM SUITES, COMPLETE.** including carpets, bedding, china, etc., at half their value. 508 W. 9th.

**SEWING MACHINE, NICE DROPPED.** 800 Woodland.

**SEWING MACHINE, PERFECT CONDITION.** attachments, light running, 80; leaving city. 1708 Spruce.

**HOMES FURNISHED, \$2.50 TO \$5.** Easy terms. Standard Supply House, 1312-14 Grand ave.

**SEWING MACHINE, DROPPED, NEARLY NEW.** \$10. Standard, 65 E. Harrison street.

**EDUCATIONAL.** Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**Y. M. C. A. NIGHT SCHOOL.** The association institute of the Young Men's Christian association offers instruction in mechanical drawings, architectural drawings, languages, mathematics, oratory, electricity, civil engineering, etc. Send for catalogue. Educational department, 810 Wyandotte st.

**WANTED—20,000 TELEGRAPHERS.** on account new law. Draughton's College, Gas bldg, 912 Grand ave., given written contract to acquire position. Refuse money. Telephone bookkeeping, shorthand, etc., taught. Catalogue free.

**NOTICE—THE RESIDENT TAXPAYERS** in the blocks adjoining 4th st., K. C., K. B. to meet Friday evening, March 27, at James' office, 4th and State, to discuss the advisability of widening 4th st.

**I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR** bills contracted by my son, Ed. H. Hoff, JAMES E. BISHOP.

**FOR ADOPTION—BLUE EYED BABY** boy, 2 years old. Address D. 815 Star.

**MISCELLANEOUS.** Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**COAL, BEST COAL.** OVERSTOCKED; MUST SELL; CALL US. 8107 Main; Bell 865 Grand. Spot Cash Coal Co.

**D. W. NEWCOMER.** UNDERTAKER, TEL. 84 EAST; RESIDENCE telephone 25 EAST. 2107-08 11th East Ninth street.

**STAMMERING.** MCKIE SCHOOL FOR STAMMERERS, East 18th st.; established 1900; highly indorsed.

## PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**PIANO EXCHANGE CONFRONT YOU!** Don't let it pass, but meet it squarely by buying a piano to-day at the great sale of J. W. Jenkins' Sons Music Company.

**BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!** And even that doesn't describe them. Every piano in this huge stock is now offered at greatly reduced prices in an opportunity, an opportunity which begs for your notice.

Do you really seek economy or are you one of those who like the chance of it all by? Don't wait until the sale has been completed and then say "I wish I had bought one!"

Come now. New pianos made by the best factories are included in this sale. They combine everything you could wish—durability, fine material, beauty of design, purity of tone and selection of prices—well, you'll be amazed. Besides there are scores of used, exchanged instruments, pianos that we have accumulated during the last year. These our workmen have thoroughly overhauled, thoroughly refinished and are now ready to sell at a bargain price. They are the greatest bargains offered in the city.

**Upright pianos, 7-1/2 octave, as low as \$65.** Payments monthly, as you wish, \$5 and up. Columns of newspaper space would be necessary to mention each bargain here. Suffice it to say that represented in the sale is nearly every good and reliable piano manufactured and sold in this city. If you ever intend to own a piano now is the time. There is no other place where you can get such a large selection of pianos at such low prices, no expediting the quality of instruments. We tell you the absolute truth about each. Each piano is carefully selected and tested. If you live out of town write to us. You will get the same treatment as you would get did you call on us personally. New pianos made by the best factories to people we have never seen.

**J. W. JENKINS' SONS MUSIC COMPANY,** 1018-1102 Walnut st., Kansas City, Mo.

**BEHNING AND HOBART, M. CABLE PIANO** and piano building, 1018-1102 Walnut st., 8d floor.

**FOR SALE—NEW UPRIGHT MAHOGANY** piano; will sacrifice at less than half original price. Bell East 2372.

**NEW KIMBALL PIANO FOR SALE** or trade for diamond. 1402 Tracy.

**LOST.** Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**LOST—FEMALE BOSTON BULL TERRIER** brown and white; reward if returned to Mrs. W. H. Hendrick, 501 Gladstone bldg.

**LOST WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON—ONE** roll of leather from wagon between 14th and Washington and Milwaukee freight house. Please notify K. C. Transfer Co.

**LOST—HUNTING CASE WALTHAM** watch; automobile chain; case number 4160; valuable as keepsake; reward if returned. Palace auto Co., 1410 W. 12th.

**9 PACKAGES OF STATIONERY** with printed heading "Daily Bee, Park." Return to Schwartzschild & Sulzberger Co., 2d and Walnut, and receive reward.

**LOST—VALUABLE CLUSTER DIAMOND** pin on Prospect car line Wednesday morning; reward. Call phone 2224 Main. Miss Dalton.

**LOST—SOLID GOLD BRACELET** Engraved Rachel M. Kinsley. Reward of \$25 will be paid, no questions asked. 8220 Highland.

**REWARD FOR INFORMATION LEADING** to recovery of 4 turkeys lost, strayed or stolen from 28th and Brighton. Home, Linwood 150.

**LOST—GRAY SQUIRREL COLLAR.** Wednesday; liberal reward. Esther Shaw, 611 North 10th, Kansas City, Kas.

**LOST—NEAR 84TH AND CHARLOTTE** map of that vicinity, size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches; reward. Telephone Home 2754 Main.

**LOST—FEMALE FOX TERRIER PUP** white with blue eyes; liberal reward. Charley Bilbee, 217 W. 11th.

**LOST—GRAY SHAWL, ON PARALLEL** road, Tuesday; 645 Tauronee ave.; phone, West 602; Home; reward.

**CREAM COLOR JERSEY COW; END OF** horns off; reward \$5. Sykes, 816 Oakland, Kansas City, Kas.

**LOST—ABSTRACT TITLE; MADE BY** Thompson & Co.; reward. Geo. P. Snyder, 8516 Michigan.

**LADY'S NET WAIST ON WESTPORT** Tuesday. Bring to 1014 Grand ave. and get reward.

**LOST—EYEGLASSES ON VALENTINE** road, near Washington. Call Home 239 South; reward.

**LOST—LADY'S BELT, WEDNESDAY** night. Tel. 2502 Main.

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**FOUND—SMALL SOKREL MARE, BLAZED** face. Call 8791 Argentine.

**BUSINESS PERSONALS.** Advertisements under this heading, morning and evening, 3c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Sunday, 25c a word; minimum charge, 40c. Charged to ledger accounts, daily, 20c per agate line. Sunday, 15c per agate line. Minimum charge, 2 lines. All out-of-town advertisements payable in advance.

**GRAND MILLINERY OPENING, SATURDAY** morning, 10 o'clock. Invitations to come and compare our prices with downtown prices. Mrs. F. E. Thomas, 4222 East 15th.

**WALL PAPER FURNISHED AND HUNG.** \$2.50 to \$3.00 room. Bell phone East 3223; save yourself 50c on decorating; work guaranteed.

**WANTED—CONTRACT, IN CARPENTER,** papering and paint work. Geismann, 110 Garfield.

**RELIABLE CARPENTER, LIKE LITTLE** jobs of repair or new work. Address D. 643 Star.

**HOME FURNISHED, \$2.50 TO \$5.** Easy terms. Standard Supply House, 1312-14 Grand ave.

**SEND \$3; GET ELGIN OR WALTHAM** watch. National Loan Office, 1223 Grand.

**WALL PAPER FURNISHED, HUNG, \$2.50** room. Home 1504 East.

## FINANCIAL.

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**Plenty of Money**

**TO LOAN AT LOWEST RATES ON IM-** proved property; loans closed promptly.

**SILLS, NORTUP & CO., R. A. Long bldg.**

**FOR OVER 21 YEARS** we have assisted parties to purchase or build homes in this city or pay off mortgages thereon. In all cases, we have secured the lowest rate to 3 1/2 percent; interest 5 percent; no commission; \$200 or more may be repaid at any time, reducing the balance proportionately; loans on business property on same terms.

**JACKSON COUNTY LOAN ASSN., LEON** BLOCK, Sec. and Attorney. Loans on business property on same terms. 788 N. Y. Life bldg. Between phones 1903 Main.

**BUILDING HOMES.** Loans for building homes or homes already built; any sum; \$500 up, payable in monthly installments on \$2,000. First mortgage; lowest rate in the city; on a clear lot, well located, with title cleared up, we will build for you. **SAFETY SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSN., FLETCHER COWHERD, Sec'y.** N. E. Cor. 10th and Walnut, 8d floor.

**Local Money**

**TO LOAN ON K. C. MO., IMPROVED** real estate in sums to \$25,000; first mortgage; no red tape; loans closed quickly.

**COWHERD BROS.,** N. E. Cor. 10th and Walnut St., 8d floor.

**J. & W. G. Mackenzie**

**NEW ENGLAND BUILDING.** Money to loan on improved real estate at lowest rates. Applications passed on by ourselves and loans promptly closed. Interest and principal payable at our office.

**WHEN YOU WANT A LOAN** on your FURNITURE OR PIANO, call, write or phone **JAMES E. PARKER, JR.,** Financial Agent and Notary Public. 141-43 84th Home, Main 7585. Phones: Bell, Main 8492; Home, Main 7585.

**WE LOAN OUR OWN MONEY.** City Loans Promptly Closed. **WADDELL INVESTMENT CO.,** 921 Baltimore.

**WE HAVE LOCAL MONEY TO LOAN ON** first mortgages, Kansas City, Mo., real estate; no delay; 6 per cent.

**Crutcher & Sons**

**Fire Insurance.** 1008 Baltimore.

**Simmons & Groves**

**MASSACHUSETTS BUILDING.** lend money on Kansas City real estate at low rates and on most favorable terms. **CHOICE MORTGAGES FOR SALE.**

**E. S. Truitt & Co.**

**101-2 KEITH & PERRY BLDG.** Have private funds ready for choice real estate loans in Kansas City. Especially desire close in business property loans.

**Loans Wanted**

**ON KANSAS CITY, MO., IMPROVED REAL** estate.

**PRATT & THOMPSON, Postal Tel. bldg.**

**LOCAL MONEY TO LOAN ON KANSAS** City real estate at lowest rates; loans passed on once and closed promptly; first mortgages for sale.

**RIEGER-MOORE REALTY CO.,** 1112 Highland.

**MONEY ADVANCED SALARIED PEOPLE** without security or income tax. Dr. R. E. 2012 menard. Dr. Drake, over 518 Central ave., Kansas City, Kas. Riverview station, also 307 Stock Yards Exchange bldg. Both phones.

**MONEY TO LOAN ON KANSAS CITY IM-** proved real estate at lowest rates. Loans promptly closed.



injured his foot. Ever since then he has walked with a perceptible limp.

Carr is married and has two children, the youngest a child of 7 months. For the last month he has been employed in his father-in-law's millinery shop, sleeping there nights on a cot. He left here two weeks ago, telling his wife he was going to Kansas City to try to get a job with the express company again. That was the last seen of him until he appeared here Sunday morning.

CARR HAS NOT CONFESSED.

Not a word was exchanged with Carr by the officers in their trip to Marion in the carriage last night. No one was permitted to see him last night or this morning. Late this morning he was given a thorough "sweating" by the county officials and the express officials. This sweating had not been completed at noon. While the officers refuse to give any information about this examination, enough has been said to indicate that he has made no confession.

The evidence against Carr is believed by the officers to be so complete that he can be proved guilty without his confession.

#### A HORSE OWNER AGAINST IT.

The Speedway Would Be a Menace to Women and Children, He Says.

To The Star: I have received speedway literature through the mail, presumably for the reason that I own a horse and therefore should favor the speedway. As a matter of fact, that is the very reason why I am strongly opposed to it. Racing alongside of a pleasure driveway is a menace to the lives of women and children who drive because horses become frightened when other horses rush past them from the rear. This is a menace which I have not seen mentioned in the articles published in your efforts to protect us against a racetrack in our pleasure parks.

G. I. LOWRY.

3310 Michigan Avenue.

#### IMPURE MILK OVER THE LINE

State Authorities Find Samples Below Standard and May Prosecute Milkmen.

TOPEKA, April 1.—Since the city officials of Kansas City, Kas., lost the milk inspection cases in the courts some of the milkmen have been furnishing impure milk. While the milk ordinance was in force the milkmen were furnishing fairly good milk, but as soon as the law was knocked out by the courts the dairymen went back to their old practices of selling watered and skimmed milk.

The state board of health is preparing to make trouble for these milkmen and arrests for violations of the pure food law may be expected soon. Seventeen samples of milk were taken a little more than a week ago and not a single sample was up to the standard required by the state law.

The sale of impure milk is a violation of the pure food law in Kansas.

#### KANSAS TEACHERS TO MEET.

Governor Hoch Will Speak to the Inspectors Friday in Leavenworth.

Many of the schools in the territory of the Northeast Kansas Teachers' association will be closed Friday so that the teachers may attend the meeting of the association in Leavenworth. In Kansas City, Kas., every schoolroom will be closed and 250 teachers, headed by M. E. Pearson, superintendent, who is president of the association, will go to Leavenworth. The opening session will be Thursday night. The program for the session will be: Mrs. De Forest Fairchild, the Rev. C. P. Connolly of Leavenworth, W. H. Rice, superintendent of the Jefferson county schools; John McDonald, editor of the Western School Journal; President M. E. Pearson of Kansas City, Kas.; S. L. Heeter, superintendent of schools in St. Paul, Minn.

Other speakers at the sessions Friday and Saturday will be: Governor E. W. Hoch; L. D. Whittemore, Topeka; Prof. W. H. Johnson, state high school inspector; Miss Ada Fleming, Chicago; J. H. Miller, superintendent Kansas State Agricultural college; Prof. T. M. Eden, Emporia State Normal school; Prof. L. H. Murlin, Baker university; Chancellor Frank Strong, University of Kansas; Prof. William Craig Wilcox, University of Iowa; Major W. R. McClung, warden of the federal prison; Dr. W. C. Wilcox, Des Moines; Mrs. Jessie L. Gaynor, St. Joseph; E. T. Fairchild, Topeka.

#### CRIMINAL JUDGES FAR APART.

In a Letter Porterfield Says He Hasn't Changed and Wallace, Too, Is Firm.

Since William H. Wallace, judge of the criminal court, and E. E. Porterfield, judge of the Seventh division of the circuit court and the Second division of the criminal court, had a clash over the question as to which courtroom Porterfield should use in trying the change of venue cases, they have carried on a lively correspondence. Judge Porterfield sent a letter to Judge Wallace this morning, saying that he would not try cases in Judge Wallace's courtroom and insisted on opening his own court and trying change of venue cases.

"I will not open the Second division of the criminal court," Judge Wallace said. "If Judge Porterfield prefers trying cases in his own courtroom that is of no consequence to me."

As it stands now Judge Porterfield refuses to try cases in Judge Wallace's court and Judge Wallace refuses to open Judge Porterfield's court and transfer cases to him. As a result nothing is being done in the change of venue cases.

#### TO RETIVE COMMISSION PLAN.

Kansas City, Kas., Workers to Try for More Signatures to the Petition.

A meeting of persons interested in the commission form of government for Kansas City, Kas., will be held to-morrow night in the office of J. Preston Clark, 713 Minnesota avenue. Plans to circulate petitions to obtain the number of signatures required to have Mayor Cornell call a special election to vote for the plan will be made. About 200 more signatures are required before the petition can be submitted.

#### The Forestry Bureau's Staff.

To The Star: In the Times this morning I read with indignation the efforts that were made to hamper Mr. Pincho's work for the preservation of the national forests, and I wondered if this extract from a Washington letter might be of general interest. The writer, a young man from Kansas City, is a graduate of the Yale forestry school. After some years' service for the national department and spent some years in Texas under a commercial company. Recently he went back to Washington to the forestry bureau, and this is taken from his first letter:

"I find the forestry service growing phenomenally. It is a splendid set of men we have—practically all of them university men, young, intelligent and enthusiastic, and well-mannered. I notice the manner more now after my two years' money-making in Texas. It is a pleasure to see my Yale classmates again."

"I have a Russian friend in the service, an exceptionally intelligent man. He has had a pretty story life. He is a scholarly man, well up on Russian, French and German literature. He has a very responsible position in the service, his specialty being silviculture, while mine is timber sales."

"This is the sort of staff that Mr. Pincho's fine spirit is building up in the public service."

SILVA.

#### THE ORATORS DRIFT APART

DEEP CONCERN AND CONFUSION IN THE DEMOCRATIC CAMP.

The Disturbers, Walsh and Shannon, Insist on Getting Off the "Peace Agreement" Track on a "3-Cent Fare" Siding—Trying to Call Them Off.

Democratic managers are active today in an effort to pull together the divergent elements that are confusing the canvass. Shannon and Walsh posted two notices on the platform and insist upon discussing them in spite of the fact that they are no part of the platform agreed upon the day before the convention met. That platform was made at the same time as the slate that was afterward made into a ticket. Now, at this late date Walsh, in a test meeting, refuses to endorse the "peace agreement," but insists upon talking about the three-cent fare patch he and Shannon had so much trouble putting on. The result is that this morning there were many conferences and the leading candidates sought to reconcile differences, if possible. But they haven't had success.

GOING IN TWO DIRECTIONS.

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#### GOSSIP OF SOCIETY.

Mrs. Ernest Paegeer of Akron, O., Mrs. L. T. Wolfe and Miss Helen Wolfe of Cambria, Wyo., were the guests of honor this afternoon at an unusually pretty bridge party given by Mrs. Luther K. Firey. The parlors were attractively decorated with bouquets and hanging baskets of Easter lilies, hyacinths, lilacs, jonquils and other spring flowers. There were fifty guests.

Mrs. P. D. Ridenour will entertain Friday with a 1 o'clock luncheon.

Mrs. George Langford of Joliet, Ill., with her children will come to-morrow to be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Holmes.

Mrs. J. K. Burnham, Mrs. John F. Downing and Mrs. Rosas M. Hockaday have returned from San Antonio, Tex., where Mrs. Downing and Mrs. Hockaday spent the winter months.

Mrs. Lydia Morrison of Omaha arrived today to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Morrison, 203 West Armour boulevard. Mrs. Morrison will entertain with a bridge party Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Ernest Paegeer of Akron, O., Mrs. L. T. Wolfe and Miss Helen Wolfe of Cambria, Wyo.

Mrs. Conway Holmes will return Saturday or Sunday from Vicksburg, Miss., where she has been visiting Miss Ellie Flowerer for several weeks. Mrs. Holmes was the guest

of honor at entertainments given last week by Miss Flowerer and the Misses Durham.

Mrs. J. H. Durkee will entertain Friday afternoon with a bridge party to meet her guest, Mrs. L. C. Wight of St. Paul.

Miss Winifred Repp and Miss Marie Crowe will come from Dana Hall, Wellesley, Mass., Friday to spend their Easter vacation with their parents.

Mrs. R. H. Wagener of Cincinnati, O., and Mr. Bower Bridgeford of St. Joseph, Mo., have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Churchill G. Bridgeford, who have returned to their respective homes.

Mrs. Herbert G. Tureman, 502 Gladstone boulevard, entertained this afternoon with a charming bridge party to meet her mother, Mrs. George W. Powers of Decatur, Ill. Pink carnations and ferns were effectively arranged throughout the receiving rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hayden are at home at the Roosevelt.

Mrs. P. H. Hovey will entertain the Forest Avenue Luncheon club Monday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Smith of the Bonaventure entertained twenty guests this afternoon with a tea in honor of her brother, Mr. L. M. White, and Mrs. White of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Schoeman of the Coates house have gone to Louisville, Ky., for a brief visit.

Mrs. Theodore Winingham and her daughter, Louise, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elias Gatch in St. Louis.

Mrs. W. W. Bland of Plattsmouth, Mo., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert F. Crawford, 3523 Campbell street.

Mrs. Charles White and Mrs. George P. Moore, both of Chicago, and Mrs. William Dolman of St. Joseph will arrive Friday to visit Mrs. George E. Smith of the Bonaventure. Mrs. Smith will entertain at cards next week for her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hines have returned from their wedding journey and will be at home after April 15, 1115 Garfield avenue.

Mrs. H. H. Kimball of the Elsmere will entertain a few friends very informally to-morrow at bridge in honor of Mrs. L. C. Wight of St. Paul.

The Kappa Kappa Gamma alumnae will be entertained Saturday afternoon, April 4, 2:30 o'clock, by Mrs. A. G. Randolph, 3143 the Paseo.

Mrs. Jack Storey has gone to Sterling, Ok., for a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Cusenberry.

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**SWOPE FARM.** 1,800 acres, irrigated water, horses sent for to barb wire. Bell and Home phone 18. Mrs. L. O. Swope, Independence, Mo.

**FOR SALE—WHITE TEAM OF GELDINGS.** 1934 hands, high, rangy, fine harness or carriage team; also combination mare, very stylish; 2 good ponies, 400 Oak.

**FOR SALE—FINE CITY BROKE TEAM HORSES.** Carriage, harness, blankets and robes; a bargain. 1835 Independence blvd.

**FOR SALE—HORSE, HARNES, FRESH MILK COWS.** E. L. House, 2888 Grand.

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**WANTED—RETAIL SALESMAN FOR CIGAR STORE.** Must be experienced; state last employer or present employment; the latter will be considered confidential. Address B. 648 Star.

**WHITE COACHMAN AND GENERAL WORKER.** Answer, stating age, giving references, state phone number. Address B. 474 Star.

**BOY WANTED—A GOOD OPENING FOR AN energetic boy under 18 and a chance to learn business methods. Short hours and good pay; need not interfere with other duties; steady work in spare moments. James J. Marcus, 810 E. 16th st., Kansas City.**

**WANTED FOR THE U. S. MARINE CORPS.** men between ages 21 and 35; an opportunity to see the world; full information apply in person or by letter to U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office, room 208 New Nelson bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

**WE WANT AN EXPERIENCED, reliable bookkeeper, not over 30 years old; must be a good office worker, accurate and quick, with references to verify. Moderate salary; permanent position. Give telephone number if you can. Address B. 624 Star.**

**COUNTRY BOY TO LEARN LUMBER BUSINESS.** as second man in lumber yard in small town in Oklahoma; long hours; hard work; small wages; but chance to work up for a hustler; state age. Address B. 628 Star.

**WANTED—A LAUNDRYMAN COMPETENT TO take position as foreman or manager; bidders not answer; give experience and references. Address B. 677 Star.**

**BUTCHER—THOROUGHLY COMPETENT.** take charge meat end of small grocery; family; must have good references; full information apply in person or by letter to U. S. Marine Corps Recruiting Office, room 208 New Nelson bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

**COMPETENT ALL ROUND PAINTER** and paper hanger wanted; union man; steady work for good man. Apply W. T. Little, 831 Ridge, or phone 4080 Main.

**BARBERS WANTED—TWO FIRST CLASS** workers; guarantee \$100 answer at once for best job in Kansas. J. V. Swenson, Concordia, Kas.

**WANTED—SINGLE MAN FOR DAIRY.** none but good milkers; good wages and steady employment. J. A. Morton, 14 South of Dodge, Kansas City.

**WHITE MAN AND WIFE EXPERIENCED** in house service and cooking; good wages; city references. 2815 Linwood blvd.

**FIRST CLASS COATMAKER WANTED.** Steady work; \$7 per week. R. L. Crowder, Neosho, Mo., or Delmar Woolen Co., 1114 Grand, Kansas City.

HELP WANTED—CONTINUED.

**LEADING DISTILLERY OF KENTUCKY** offers a most attractive commission proposition to high class salesmen for the sale of whisky in the territory of Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana, the saloon trade and must be highly recommended. Address with full particulars and references to J. M. Distilling Co., 46 American National Bank Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

**WE ALWAYS HAVE HUNDREDS OF** good openings; no former experience required; we will teach you to be one by mail in a reliable firm. Write for free catalog today. Address Dept. 704, National Salesman's Training School, 2000 Main, Kansas City, Mo. Branches Chicago and Minneapolis.

**WANTED—COMPETENT MEN AND WOMEN** in Kansas City to sell attractive fruit and truck loads; small part proposition; one of the best sellers ever put on the market; splendid profits for good workers. Call 2 to 10, 1 to 2, or 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock. Gray Realty Company, 219 Century bldg.

**SALESMEN ARE COMING MONEY SELLING** new, furnished, 8 and 10 day, letters and numbers for free catalog today. Address: easily and quickly applied; write for terms. Field Supply House, 1614 Clark st., Chicago.

**WANTED—A EXPERIENCED SPECIALTY** salesmen to sell the new American Hallway cash registers. Address: 2000 Main, Kansas City, Mo.

**TO LIFE SOLICITORS WITH ABILITY** and references wanted to call on interested people; must have good references; no traveling; preferred; big money if you can qualify. 317 Century bldg.

**TRAVELING SALESMAN WITH EXPERIENCE** in general dry goods; give references and where now employed; traveling experience preferred; state territory covered. Address B. 488 Star.

**SALESMAN WANTED; A GOOD FURNITURE** and carpet man; one who is not afraid of work; must have good habits; full particulars. 219 S. Topley ave., Wichita, Kas.

**SALESMAN WANTED FOR MEDIUM** priced line wares; kimono, saunas, housewares; commission basis; side line. Address B. 648 Star.

**SIDE LINE—EXTRA GOOD ONE; FOR** good men only; no over 30 years old; exclusive territory. 407 Heist bldg., Kansas City.

**CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED; EXPERIENCE** unnecessary; \$100 per month and expenses. Peerless Cigar Co., Toledo, O.

**WANTED—THREE SALESMEN WITH** small capital to sell the retail trade. 1802 Main st.

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**MILLINERY WOMAN WANTED.** Wanted for large retail millinery store—A woman who has had the experience and possesses the ability to assist in buying and management; must have ideas of modern and home accepted for less than 20c.

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**WANTED TO RENT** anywhere from 50 to 100 rooms for general hotel or rooming house; must be good location. Lobdell & Neely, 21 W. 12th.

**WANTED—9 OR 10 NICELY FURNISHED** rooms for light housekeeping; east of Woodland and near Independence ave.; must be first class. Address B. 672 Star.

**RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN DESIRES** room in strictly private home, preferably near 12th street line; modern; reasonable. Address B. 697 Star.

**WANTED TO RENT OR BUY—A ROOM** modern cottage; good neighborhood; must be reasonable; state last reference. Address B. 671 Star.

**WANTED—NICE, AIRY ROOM FOR SUM-** mer; prefer south exposure; located south of 8000. Address 348 Live Stock Exchange bldg.

**WANTED—FURNISHED ROOM TO OCT.** 1; man and wife; Armour between Main and Broadway; reference. Address B. 691 Star.

**WANTED BY GOOD TENANT—STRICTLY** modern 6 or 7 room house; refined neighborhood. Geo. S. Applegate, Mitchell Dry Goods Co.

**HAVE GOOD STOCK OF GROCERIES** and want to rent suit, good location, outskirts preferred. Address B. 657 Star.

**9 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD** or meals; south; references. Home phone 2884 East.

**8 OR 4 UNFURNISHED ROOMS; MOD-** ern; Southeast; young couple. Address B. 608 Star.

**LET US RENT YOUR PROPERTY; MUST** have more places. Threlkeld, Junction bldg.

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TO RENT—ROOMS—CONTINUED.

**1481 INDIANA—MODERN LOVELY FUR-** nished parlor; also sleeping room; reasonable; board if desired.

**1291 TRACY—MODERN NICELY FUR-** nished front above room; light housekeeping, sleeping rooms.

**1108 CHERRY—NICELY FURNISHED** parlor, housekeeping room; clean sleeping room, \$1.00 per week.

**2918 WOODLAND—9 FINE MODERN** rooms; housekeeping; convenient car; only \$12.00 week.

**1295 OAK—ONE LARGE FRONT ROOM,** with private porch, furnished for housekeeping; \$2.50 week.

**928 CHARLOTTE—8 ROOMS; NICELY** furnished; complete for housekeeping; modern; bath floor.

**3444 BROOKLYN—NICELY FURNISHED** room with board; references given and required.

**2897 INDEPENDENCE AVE.—PLEASANT** room, with first class board; references. Home 807.

**908 TROOST—ELEGANT FURNISHED** rooms for light housekeeping; also sleeping rooms.

**728 TROOST—TABLE BOARD, FUR-** nished rooms with board; reasonable. Home 6573 Main.

**1480 CHERRY—8 COMPLETELY FUR-** nished rooms; housekeeping; parlor floor; gas stove.

**908 LYDIA—NEAT, HOUSEKEEPING;** cheap to right party; references. Bell 3859 Main.

**2807 BROOKLYN—FRONT ROOM WITH** good board for one; large yard; good neighborhood.

**2137 BROOKLYN—BRIGHT, COOL ROOM,** 2 meals; beautiful; new home. Bell phone 917 East.

**1004 EAST 15TH—COOL, PARLOR FLOOR,** housekeeping; also single rooms; modern; reasonable.

**1818 HOLMES—NICELY FURNISHED** rooms; suitable for gentlemen or couple; modern.

**1208 TRACY—SOUTH ROOM, LARGE** closet; private family; \$2 per week; gentleman.

**2817 E. 15TH—LARGE, PLEASANT ROOM** with board; strictly first class; fine location.

**LARGE, AIRY ROOM AND BOARD, MOD-** ern; private porch; shade; lawn. 528 Barks.

**803 E. 15TH—3 PLEASANT ROOMS, FUR-** nished housekeeping, gas stove, ice box.

**2823 WOODLAND—ROOM AND BOARD** for couple, shade, cool; 13 block cars.

**1813A LOCUST, REAR-2 SINGLE, 1** double room; well furnished; modern.

**920 E. 14TH—FURNISHED ROOM, BATH** floor, modern; \$1.25 per week.

**409 WHITTIER PLACE—1ST FLOOR FOR** rent to family; single rooms; modern.

**652 EAST 18TH—5 NICELY FURNISHED** connecting rooms for rent; modern.

**710 CAMPBELL—8 NICELY FURNISHED** rooms for light housekeeping; cheap.

**1204 CHERRY—TWO NICE FURNISHED** front rooms; housekeeping; modern.

**1221 OAK—1 HOUSEKEEPING ROOM** with private porch; east exposure.

**COLORADO; FURNISHED FRONT ROOM;** first floor; \$2.00. 1717 E. 11th.

**Unfurnished.**

**N. W. COR. 8TH AND TRACY—3 ROOM** apartments, \$15; heat, light, range, gas, hot water; stone floors; hall and stair carpets; decoration sunny; walking distance. See Janitor; references.

**870-478 FOREST—8 NICE ROOMS FOR** rent; modern; good location; small family. Inquire at 927 Locust, grocery store.

**1109 EAST 14TH—UNFURNISHED HOUSE** keeping suite in elegant high class apartment; vacant June 1. Home Main 6845.

**1008 AND 1012 E. 15TH, NEAR TROOST—** 2 bedrooms, modern; airtily; housekeeping; gas stoves; \$10.00. Inquire Janitor.

**8 OR 4 ROOMS, \$5 AND \$10.00; GAS,** water; adults; reference required. Northwest corner 25th and Holmes.

**1119 HARRISON—MODERN SUITES; 8** rooms, \$11; 2 rooms, \$8; housekeeping; gas stoves. Inquire Janitor.

**2419 EAST 23D—8 LARGE ROOMS, PAR-** lor floor, modern; accept heat; water paid; suitable for young couple.

**N. E. COR. 44TH AND VIRGINIA—3 MOD-** ern rooms; beautiful location; near Electric park; \$12.50.

**8108 E. 10TH—TWO LARGE ROOMS AND** alcove; private home; shade; good neighborhood; reasonable.

**1060 E. 6TH—BASEMENT, PERFECTLY** good housekeeping; \$10; desirable. Phone 940 Linwood.

**1598 OAK—2 NICE, LIGHT BASEMENT** rooms; gas and water furnished; southeast exposure.

**620 WOODLAND—FOUR UNFURNISHED** rooms; strictly modern; private bath; detached house.

**1628 CHERRY—4 NICE LARGE UNFUR-** nished rooms, newly decorated; modern; nice lawn.

**4 ROOMS, ALCOVE, BATH FLOOR, VERY** desirable; rent reasonable. Bell phone 7525.

**1814 ADMIRAL BLVD.—1 ROOM AND** alcove; modern; beautiful location; telephone.

**1619 VIRGINIA AVE.—4 NICE ROOMS,** with alcove; modern; 2d floor; rent reasonable.

**708 EAST 6TH—UNFURNISHED SOUTH** front rooms; strictly modern; flat; close in.

**88 E. 84TH—8 OR 4 THOROUGHLY MOD-** ern housekeeping rooms; Rockhill car line.

**SECOND FLOOR, 5 ROOMS AND BATH;** 514. Call F. Altergott, 606 E. 12th.

**1611 LYDIA FOR RENT CHEAP; FIRST** floor; 4 large nice rooms; modern.

**2018 TROOST—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS** for rent to couple with references.

**9013 TROOST—8 OR 4 ROOMS; BATH** floor; nice and cool; reasonable.

**WEST SIDE.**

**619 WASHINGTON AVE.—FURNISHED** rooms for light housekeeping.

**BOARDING.**

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**1111 HARRISON—LARGE FURNISHED** room with board; one or couple; modern; detached house; private family.

**NICELY FURNISHED ROOM, FIRST** class meals and table board; cool rooms for summer. Home phone 5708.

**1110 HARRISON—ROOM, WITH FIRST** class board; very reasonable.

**HOTELS.**

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**SPECIAL RATES MADE TO COUPLE,** elegant rooms, with or without board. Sandamin hotel, 18th and Cherry.

**RUGS MADE FROM**

**FOUR OLD CARPETS—**

**ALSO CARPET CLEANING.**

**MAKE HANDSOME RUGS; CAN USE** any kind of old carpet; write for circular; mail orders. Kansas City Rug Co., 1120-23 Holmes st. Tel. 1946 Grand, 2083 Main.

**K. O. STORAGE WAREHOUSE.**

**401 TO 408 GRAND AVE. SEPARATE** locked rooms to rent. Moving, packing, shipping. Only careful, skillful men employed. Tel. 8623.

**SUPERFLUOUS HAIR.**

**MOLES AND ALL FACIAL BLEMISHES RE-** moved by a graduate in this line of work. 1114 Main. Mrs. McGavran.



## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE—CONT'D

**Business Corners**  
S. E. COR. 26TH AND MERSINGTON; 8  
x118 ft.; all improvements; asphalt, both streets  
finely built up all around, \$2,000.  
N. E. cor. 20th and Monroe; 32x126 ft., \$425.  
S. E. COR. 26TH AND MERSINGTON; 8  
x118 ft.; all improvements; asphalt, both streets  
finely built up all around, \$2,000.

S. E. cor. 27th and Cypress; 1x110 ft. \$120.  
S. E. cor. 17th and Lister; 44½x113½ ft. \$22.50.  
N. E. cor. 24th and Brighton; 131x125, 25 ft. Only vacant cor. available for business end of Jackson ave. line.  
N. E. cor. Independence Road and Wheeling 46x131 ft. \$500. Belt line across street.  
S. W. cor. 19th and Norton; 81x125 ft. a, asphalt walk, \$400; \$200 cut.  
S. E. cor. 41st and Brooklyn; 43x131 ft., \$550.  
N. W. cor. 34th and Merington; fine home site; 40x127 ft. \$100.

N. E. cor. 27th and Lister; 43x100 ft. Fin  
for business, \$1,075.  
We can sell these lots on very attractive terms  
T. J. J. GREEN, 919 Baltimore.

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**A Boulevard Home**  
REDUCED FROM \$9,000 TO \$8,500.  
**Out Stone and Frame**

Large reception hall, parlor, library, dining room, butler's pantry, kitchen, icebox room, bath, on first floor; combination stairs, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, bathroom tiled, linen closet, large hall on second floor. The billiard room, servants' room on third floor. This entire house is finished in selected oak, with oak floor throughout; elegant colonial combination fixture; two beautiful mantels; granitoid basement; laundry; good furnace, equipped with gas burners.

water meter, screens, shades. This home is about 27x44 feet on foundation. Owner has to leave city June 15, and must sell.  
COWHERD BROS., N. E. Cor. 10th and Walnut

**ELEVEN ELEGANT MODEST HOMES**  
cor. 40th and Harrison; get key at 8912 Troost. Look through them any time; nicely designed, honestly built; they will bear close inspection. Prices range down from \$6,000.

WHITEHEAD REALTY CO.,

Owners, 801 Wyandotte st.  
BARGAIN.  
For sale, 6-room cottage; large lot; water  
gas; fruit trees; leaving city; must sell. Cr  
3407 N. 12th st., Kansas City, Kas.

WILL SACRIFICE MY 6-ROOM MODERN  
home, \$9,900; could not be duplicated for th  
price; must be seen to be appreciated. Addre  
B, 614 Star.

**FARMS.**

**\$200 PER ACRE, 5-ACRE TRACT; RICH**  
and fertile; the only tract left at this low price.  
We have other tracts in the same locality at \$200  
per acre and up. Come quick if you want any  
this cheap land; close to Olathe motor line, 1  
74th; terms.

**\$1,250 equity in 5½ acres at Waldo, on road;**  
road; we also have other desirable tracts in same

locality. \$12,000—40 acres, improved; 6-room house and outbuildings; lays high and slightly; south of Waldo on Dodson electric line.  
W. H. GARNER REALTY CO.,  
830 New Ridge bldg.

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**SOUTHERN KANSAS LANDS**—1.2 acres; lots of good alfalfa land; 800 acres wheat and corn grow with the land; \$18 per acre.  
1,800 acres; 200 acres in cultivation; abundant water.

Fine water; \$12 per acre; would take \$5,000 to develop. This is a very desirable piece of property in the north city income property on this. 320 acres, 160 fine alfalfa land; good home and orchard; \$6,500; 70 acres wheat goes well this. Address B, 617 Star.

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**A VERY FINE 80.**  
80 acres, 4 miles of Lebo, Coffey county, Kas. all rich black soil; splendid improvements, including a fine house, a barn, a well, a pump, a windmill, and a telephone. Level road to town near Welsh.

CHAS. SPRAGUE & CO., 302 Ridge bldg.

**80 ACRES FOR SALE CHEAP.**  
80 acres, 8 1/2 miles from La Cygne, Kas.;  
acres in cultivation; 7 acres meadow; well fenced  
and cross fenced; good orchard and small rural  
8-room house, stable and henhouse; price \$16,000,  
if taken at once; will give terms to responsible  
man. A. W. Rush, La Cygne, Kas.

**TIMBER LAND AT A SACRIFICE:** 100 acres fine heavy timber, mostly oak, 7 miles from railroad, in the rich Red river country, Texas; fine land; need the money; no trades; for quick sale.

60-ACRE FRUIT FARM IN THE FRUIT belt of Northwestern Arkansas; paying well for fruit farm or will make ideal location for a summer resort; a bargain at \$3,500. Address B. J. Star.

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253½ ACRES, 9 MILES; ALL FRUIT; \$4.00 Co-Operative Realty Co., 411 Hall bldg. Houston, Tex.

1630 Main.

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**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—THE OREGON**  
Interurban Railway company will receive sealed bids up to 6 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, June 10, 1908, at their office in Oregon, Mo., for the construction of  $\frac{1}{2}$  miles of railroad from Oregon, Mo., to Forest City, Mo. Approximate quantities as follows: 63,000 cubic yards excavation, 47,000 cubic yards embankment, 63,000 feet timber and lumber, 100,000 feet iron pipe.

lineal feet, pump, 16 3/4 in. dia. (long); sub  
50-pound steel, 100-foot span, 13,000 tons, 1  
bridge, 60-foot span; 4 1/2 miles tract lav  
Specifications, contract, blank proposals, pro  
and plans can be seen at office of undersig  
Bids will be received on any one or more it  
of above; also on the road complete. The bo  
of directors reserve the right to reject i  
and all bids.

**THE OREGON INTERURBAN RAILW  
COMPANY,**

Attest—L. L. Moore, Sec.-Treasurer; George Custer, Engineer.

**OFFICE CONSTRUCTING QUARTERS**  
ter, Fort Leavenworth, Kas., May 25, 1906  
Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received  
here until 11 a. m., Central time, June 9, 1906,  
and then opened, for the construction of one  
two or three double sets lieutenants' quarters  
(the number of sets will be determined later)

Including plumbing, heating, electric wiring and electric lighting fixtures, at Fort Leavenworth, Kas. Full information and blank forms of proposal furnished on application to this office. Plans and specifications may be seen here, and in offices of chief quartermaster at Omaha, Paul, Denver and Chicago, depot quartermasters at St. Louis, and secretary Master Builders' change, Kansas City, Mo. United States Army serves the right to accept or reject and to annul or reject any proposal.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SOLD ALL  
his interest in the Good Roads Paving Co.,  
is no longer in any way connected with the  
business. H. P. ANAWALT

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**WISSE'S HOMEOPATHIC CROUPE**

**AND COUGH SYRUP.**

**THIRTY YEARS NO DISAPPOINTMENT.**

Powerful, very pleasant, for the cure and prevention of Croup and all Coughs. For Bronchitis and Asthma. For the Infant and Adult. 100 doses in bottle, 50c. All druggists. Wise's K. C. Homeopathic Pharmacy, now always, 1115 Wyandotte, N. E. cor. 12th st.

**"THE SEVEN-ELEVEN SERVICE"**  
**HURRY MESSENGERS.**  
 Home phone 711 Main. Bell phone 711 Grand  
 Tom Pendergast, Cas Weick  
 Elmer Kreeger, 1225½ Walnut st.

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**GRAVEL ROOFING.**  
 NEW AND OLD ROOFS RECOVERED

**SURVEYS.**  
DON'T BUILD WITHOUT A SURVEY.  
Isn't safe. We will make it for you. Tel. 1-4  
TUTTLE & PIKE, Shubert Theater bldg.

**PATENTS.**  
GEORGE Y. THORPE, AM. BANK BLDG.  
suite 512, 8th and Delaware. Free book of tips  
interest to inventors in or near Kansas City.

**PHOTOGRAPHS.**  
PHOTOGRAPH AND VIEW CO., 608 N.  
Ridge. Kodak finishing. Photos made any



“DAVE” BALL—SEE HIM RUN!

NOTHING OF THE FARICAL IN THE PIKE STATESMAN'S CANDIDACY.

Headquarters at the Laclede in St. Louis, Where the Rural Voters May Feel Comfortable Among the Wash-bowls and Fireplaces.

If anybody in Missouri is foolish enough not to take seriously the campaign of David A. Ball of Pike county for governor, he's probably destined to have a surprise. Edward Glenn of Louisiana, Mo., formerly a member of the Democratic state committee, has opened headquarters at the Laclede hotel in St. Louis to boom Ball for governor. The old hotel is plastered with large pictures of Ball.

“Dave” Ball is known to most Missourians and is a good type of country lawyer. He's witty and full of quaint sayings—a man who has been to extremely independent that he has never made the alliances by which many men succeed in politics. Ball could not and would not make a speech declaring that he would



DAVID A. BALL, OF PIKE COUNTY.

make the corporations live up to their contracts with the people, and the same day make a promise to the chief corporate lobbyists that he would not do them any harm. He is so lacking in hypocrisy that often he does not use what politicians would consider ordinary diplomacy.

GUMSHOE GAME STRANGE TO BALL. Ball has been a candidate for governor before, but he always held that magistrates beat him out of the nomination. This year the candidates submit their claims to a ballot primary. Ball made an active canvass and when the state convention met recently delegates from different parts of the state were surprised to find that Ball's support was pretty well scattered throughout the state and that it was really growing in strength. It is now said that J. H. Whitcomb will drop out of the race for governor and ask his friends to support Ball. Reports from different parts of the state indicate that Ball's support has received important additions since the convention.

In St. Louis Ball is said to be the leading candidate. The opponents of Harry B. Hawes have united on him and assert that if the old crowd gets back into control of the state, Hawes will be back in the control of politics, which they have so long fought to take away from him.

THE LACLEDE VERSUS THE PLANTERS. Hawes was present at the recent state convention without a vote that he could control. When Dockery was governor, Hawes voted the whole delegation, Kinney, Miles, Daly and the rest of the “practical” politicians have united on Ball in an effort to keep Hawes out of control. The old Laclede hotel, now Ball's headquarters, is the St. Louis home of the country Democracy. Its old fashioned fireplaces, the washbowls and pitchers with cold water only for guests, is home-like for many of the more common voters. The politicians who open headquarters at the Planters always find that the velvet carpets, the expensive furniture, the smart bell boys and employees make the country people uncomfortable. Ball selected the right place and a competent manager, and his candidacy is a much more important factor to-day than anyone supposed it would be two weeks ago.

NINE COACHES OVER A BABY.

Chicago Girl Rushed Into Train's Path to Save Teddy Bear and Lives.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Nine coaches of an express train on the Chicago & Northwestern railway, racing along at forty-five miles an hour, passed over Julia Weigle, 2 years old, at Mayfair, yesterday, without harming a hair of the baby's head. She fell under the train in an effort to rescue her Teddy bear.

The little girl toddled across the tracks while playing near her home. Between the rails she dropped her Teddy bear. She allowed it to lay where it had fallen while she sat down along the embankment to gather dandelions.

Suddenly she heard a distant roar. Her eyes opened wide with fright as she saw the Omaha express thundering toward her down the track. She scrambled to her feet and started toward the track to rescue her plaything. As she was within a foot of the rail the train whizzed toward her. The suction of the flying cars drew the child under the train.

Engineer James Lewis, leaning from his locomotive cab, saw the baby jerked under. Supposing the little body to be ground into pieces beneath the wheels, he stopped his engine four blocks further on, leaped to the ground and ran back. At the spot where he expected to find the mangled remains of the baby he found little Miss Weigle sitting in a depression between the ties, the Teddy bear hugged tightly to her breast.

DRUCE WITNESS TO PRISON.

An Appeal of Mrs. Margaret Hamilton Denied in the English Courts.

LONDON, May 28.—Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, who was one of the principal witnesses to the alleged identity of the Duke of Portland with T. C. Druce, was sentenced to-day to eighteen months' penal servitude for perjury, her appeal having been disallowed.

Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, who is 70 years old, was arrested March 7 last, charged with willful perjury and conspiracy in connection with the Druce case. She was found guilty at the Old Bailey April 9, but sentence was postponed pending an appeal on points of law.

A Folding Parasol Their Invention. P. M. and J. R. Goulet of 2110 Walnut avenue have invented a folding umbrella that can be converted into a package twelve inches long. The ribs are hinged in the center and the rod jointed.

Emery, Bird, Thayer Co.

Kansas City, May 28.—Yesterday's temperature: Maximum, 74; minimum, 62. To-morrow we look for the weather to be generally fair.

To-Morrow on Walnut Street Floor, Bargain Square, \$5.98 to \$10.98 Women's Lingerie Dresses, at \$2.98 356 Dresses at This Unequaled End-of-the-Month Sale Price \$2.98

We cannot help thinking that this extraordinary end-of-the-month special will appeal strongly to every woman who has use for a new, dainty summer dress. We never before offered such a bargain so early in the season. Think of it—\$5.98 to \$10.98 new Wash Dresses for

\$2.98

Bargain Counter, Walnut Street Floor.



We're bound to end May selling of Lingerie Wash Dresses with one of the biggest sale days on record. Notice the quality of these White India Linon, dainty Organdy and Lawn Dresses. And the workmanship—seams overlaid or bound and dresses cut generously full. Come early to-morrow for choice and save from \$3.00 to \$8.00 on each dress.

Bargain Counter, Walnut Street Floor.

\$5.00 and \$6.00 Parasols, \$3.98

In this End-of-the-Month Sale you get the full benefit of a special purchase our New York buyer landed. You will find that they are all desirable, with covers of taffeta silk, in stripes, checks, polka dots and plain solid colors, with colored borders; some tucked; others hemstitched; assorted frames and handles; in black and colors; values up to \$6.00; choice..... \$3.98

Walnut Street Floor.

Wash Goods Remnants, 1/2 Price

Short lengths of novelty wash goods, Organdies, Lawns, Batiste, Ginghams, Percales, etc., many excellent bargains among these—some of the choicest materials of the season, but in order to move the remnants quickly, the prices will be halved for to-morrow.

Walnut Street Floor.

\$3.50 Leather Suit Cases, \$1.98

Vacation time is upon us when everyone should look into the matter of supplying their luggage needs for the summer. This bargain will save considerable on your new suit case. These are of good leather, canvas lined with inside straps, riveted leather corners, brass lock, stitched edges, heavy rolled handle, size 24-inch, in tan only, worth \$3.50, choice in the End-of-the-Month sale..... \$1.98

Walnut Street Floor.

\$69 Wardrobe Trunks, \$49



Two of these new patented Wardrobe Trunks were sent to us by mistake. We received word yesterday to keep them at a great discount. They are made of 5-ply veneered lumber, built to stand the travel and wear. They have all the latest improvements, fiber bound, which makes them lighter than most of the Wardrobe Trunks. have shoe box, hat box, four sliding drawers for shirt waists, gloves, collars and a place for

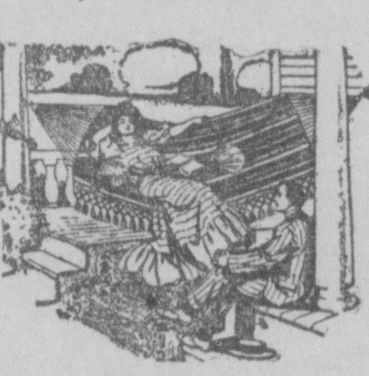
everything one wants on the trip, worth \$69..... \$49.00

Sixth Floor.

Hammocks, Special Prices

The keeper of the home without a Hammock should not thoughtlessly overlook this good news. Choose of the three bargains, \$3.50 values for \$2.75, \$2.48 values for \$1.95, \$1.48 values, for..... 98c

Infants' Hammocks, stand complete with \$4.95 hammock.....



89c Croquet Sets, 59c For a game not too vigorous and yet delightful, try Croquet. To-morrow our 89c four-ball set will be 59c. Other sets up to \$5.00. Sixth Floor.

\$5 Women's Smart Street Pumps, \$2.95

Broken lines and sizes—these smart Street Pumps for women will sell at a big saving to-morrow. There are tan calf, patent colt and gunmetal kid, welt stitched street soles, built on correct fitting short vamp lasts; mostly Wright, Peters & Company's high grade make, \$2.95 on sale to-morrow for, pair..... \$2.95

Grand Avenue Floor.



\$3.50 Women's White Canvas Pumps and Oxfords, \$1.95

Broken lines of high grade White Canvas Pumps and Oxfords; also Gray Canvas Gibson Ties, on sale to-morrow for..... \$1.95 \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Women's Low Shoes, in broken lines, \$1.95 for..... \$1.95 \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Men's Low Shoes, in broken lines, \$2.95 for..... \$2.95

Grand Avenue Floor.

Our Less Expensive Dept.—Basement

25c to 48c Ribbon Will Be 15c

This is one of the greatest value giving sales of Ribbons our Less Expensive Department has had. Our buyer just closed this lot out from a jobber who was willing to make a sacrifice. Included is a large assortment of patterns and colorings, light and dark shades; 3/4 to 5/8 inches wide, in fine quality fancy Ribbons; specially good for millinery purposes. We are now giving you the advantage of this very special purchase when you can buy 25c to 48c a yard Ribbons for..... 15c

Basement.

Four Special Undermuslin Items

45c Corset Covers for 29c Made of a very good quality of cambric, trimmed with 3 rows of Valenciennes lace insertion and edging, to-morrow special at..... 29c

30c Muslin Drawers for 19c Well made, either open or closed, with 3 rows of tucking and hemstitched edge, sizes 23 to 27, to-morrow..... 19c

19c Children's Skirts, 10c Extra good quality of cambric, with 5 rows of small tucks and ruffled edge, sizes 2 to 12 years, 10c to-morrow at..... 10c

75c Cambric Skirts for 59c Very full with deep flounce, trimmed with rows of tucks and hemstitched edge, to-morrow..... 59c

50c Men's Summer Underwear, 25c

Odd lines from the best manufacturers; solid and fancy colors, in long sleeve shirts and ankle drawers. These are regular 50c garments, but the sizes are broken in some of the lines. While they last, garment..... 25c

Men's Outing Shirts at a great saving: These Shirts come in a high grade chambray, are made with double row of stitching and reinforced shoulder; collar attached; colors blue and tan..... 59c

Men's Silk Four-in-Hand Ties, in a wide assortment of patterns and designs; 25c value for..... 15c

Men's Silk Lisle Union Suits, in long sleeves, ankle length, regular \$1.25 kind, for..... 79c

Umbrellas Umbrellas for rain or sunshine and this is without a doubt the most needed time for such a useful umbrella, with plain or fancy handles..... 50c

Parasols Parasols made of white linen finished fabrics, in a varied assortment of stylish handles, plain, tucked or hemstitched borders, choice..... 48c

Hand Bags Hand Bags that are well worth up to \$1.25, in swaggar and strap handle styles, black, brown and colors; in the End-of-the-month sale..... 75c

Hose Supporters Children's Pin-on Hose Supporters, made of 5-8 inch elastic, special to-morrow at..... 10c

Safety Pins Good Safety Pins—Assorted sizes, 3 papers for 5c. Kid Curlers, dozen, 3c and 4c. Hair Pins, assorted in cabinet, special..... 4c

WOMEN'S OUTFITTERS Dernburg's 1025-1027 MAIN STREET Memorial Sacrifice Friday!!

Up to \$29.50 Tailored Linen Lingerie, Taffeta Silk Dresses and Jumpers—reduced to-morrow to \$10.00

Season's Smartest Suits and Waists—to force a fitting finish of a brilliant week's sale!

—a week of Savings on high class apparel, that will live long and pleasantly in the memory of every buyer!

Among the collection are Suits exactly as illustrated—250 in all—consisting of Women's and Misses' Man-Tailored Suits, Taffeta Silk Jumper Dresses, Taffeta Silk Dresses, Lingerie Dresses and Linen Tailor-Made Suits—broken lots and sizes from our entire stock that has sold at the following prices: \$29.50, \$25.00, \$22.50, \$19.50 and \$15.00! They will all be sold to-morrow, and if we have your size you are assured of a saving sufficient to cover your holiday expenses—and More! They are shown in the very latest and most popular models for summer wear—in every fabric and color that is fashionable—positively \$15.00 to \$29.50 garments—your choice while they last Friday, for \$10.00.



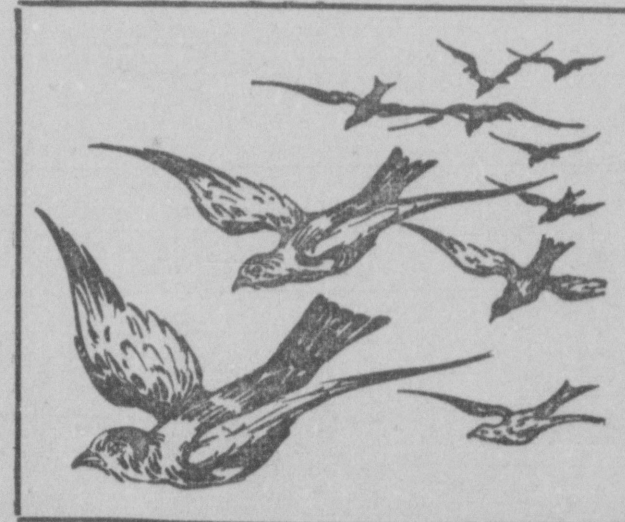
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